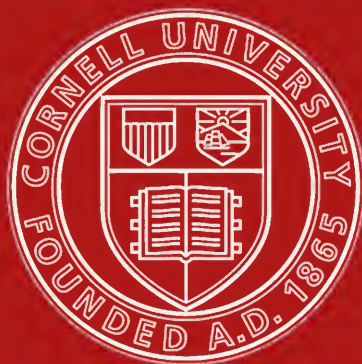


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PREFATORY NOTE.


The whole Bonfire movement was the outcome of loyalty to the Throne, and it is a source of satisfaction to know that His Gracious Majesty the King, to whose notice this record of the Coronation Bonfires had been brought, allows it to be stated that he is interested in the intended publication. The Committee thank the *Times* and the *Spectator* for allowing reprints of articles to appear, and acknowledge their indebtedness to the local Bonfire Secretaries, who by sending facts and photographs have made this publication possible. My own thanks are due to all my co-secretaries, W. R. Champion, Esq., M.P., H. M. Cadell, Esq., J. M. Mc.Calmont, Esq. M.P., T. H. W. Idris, Esq., F. W. S. Mc.Laren, Esq., M.P., G. H. Milward, Esq., and to other helpers, R. W. Greensmith, Esq., Major Herbert Neve, Charles E. Baker, Sir John Barran, M.P., Major E. W. Morrison Bell, M.P., John Ainsworth Esq., M.P.; in this connection I should wish specially to mention the great help given me by Colonel Cadell, who organized the Bonfires throughout Scotland, and by his Bonfire Ballad for the Scouts enlisted their sympathy in the movement. Thanks are also due to my friend Dr. J. G. Bartholomew for his gift of a map, specially adapted for the chronicling of the Bonfires. Last, but not least, I wish to put on record the indefatigable help and constant care given to the work by my Secretary, Miss Broatch. It has not been an easy matter to cope with all the correspondence involved, and for the errors that have unavoidably crept in I must ask the indulgence of my readers. We have been unable to locate three Bonfires, because names were not sent with the photographs. In some cases the illustrations are not very clear, as the photographs showed lack of definition, owing, no doubt, to the bad weather and difficulties under which they were taken. Our record cannot pretend to be exhaustive. We have only been able to chronicle those Bonfires that were notified to us, or were mentioned in the press. Any errors in the record should be signified to me.

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Keswick.

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HE meaning of the word "bonfire" is something of a puzzle. What is certain is that Dr. Johnson's definition of it in 1756, from the French word "bon," is incorrect. Up till 1760 it was generally written "bonefire," and Skeat tells us that it owes its origin to the word "bane" or "bone," and meant a fire of bones—a martyr fire. The earliest derivation we find of it is in the "Catholicum Anglicum," under date 1483, where the word "banefire" is explained as "Ignis Ossium." That this word "bonefire" is the origin of the word "bonfire" is corroborated by the fact that up to the year 1800, in Hawick, old bones were collected throughout the town for the midsummer bonfire. Whether originally the bonfire got its name from its use as a pyre at funeral times and afterwards connoted the martyr's fire we cannot certainly tell; but it is not impossible that, in the first instance, the bonfire was, as the fires of Tophet and Hinnom at Jerusalem were, the fire for the destruction of all refuse outside the city gates.

There are those who believe that the word "bain" or "baen" or "ban" fires meant in the early Celtic tongue simply the hill fires connected with sun-worship, and that the Beltane fires were the latest survivals of British sun-worship on the heights. It is quite certain that in Roman times fires were lit not only in honour of the sun, but in honour of the shepherds' goddess, Pales. The Palilia of Ovid's "Fasti" remind us of this fact, and as part of the ceremony in those old days, shepherds leapt through the bonfires. We find the Church in the seventh and eighth centuries doing what it could to suppress these bonfire festivals. Thus the third Council of Constantinople commanded fires that were lit before shops or houses, "through which people leapt ridiculously," to cease; and the Synodus Francica of Pope Zachary, in the year 742, forbade the sacrilegious fires called "Nedfri."* These "need-fires" have continued in the North of England within living memory. The writer has spoken with

* It is asserted that Nedfri or Nodfru fires meant originally fires obtained by the friction of rubbing of wood against wood.

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farmers in Cumberland and Westmorland who in a time of cattle plague have not only seen the "need-fire" carried from farm to farm, but cattle driven through the smoke to stop the murrain.

One other derivation should be mentioned. It is held by some that the word "bon" was a shortened form of the word "boon," and that a "boon" fire was nothing more or less than a fire to which all who came brought some contribution in the way of fuel. Last, we have the derivation from the Danish "bann," which seems to mean a beacon—the bonfire was a beacon-fire.

Whilst philologists are deciding the correct derivation of the word, it suffices us to remember that from time immemorial the beacon-fire has been used to speed the message of war at the gates, or the tale of triumph or disaster. It was by fire the Argive Queen learned that Troy had fallen, it was fire that flew from Susa to Ecbatana in 24 hours and roused the Persian kings. It was the beacon light upon the hills that told Athens of the enemy's approach in the days of Thucydides; and in our own Elizabeth's time, as Macaulay has sung for us, from south to north flew the fierce courier-flame to warn Great Britain of the Armada's approach.

The beacon system for watch and ward was slowly developed from the time of Henry III. In 1403 it was made statutory, while in 1455 a complete system of signalling was enacted for Scotland to prevent surprise by English invaders. Thus, one "bale" or faggot was used as a warning; two "bales" to say that the enemy were coming indeed; and four "bales" blazing beside each other that the foe was in force.

But these beacon-fires were not only used as a warning against the foe, but as a friendly light to mariners. In the thirteenth year of Elizabeth, 1565, all seaboard beacons were placed by Act of Parliament under the control of the Masters, Wardens, and Assistants of Trinity House. Here and there upon our coasts may still be seen the two up-standing posts and the iron basket which did duties since taken over by the lighthouses. And still, near the Border, a stone-built beacon, as at Penrith, remains to us; but since 1745 there has been no use for it.

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Bonfires long before the time of Shakespeare were used as signals of rejoicing. Five times out of the seven that Shakespeare speaks of bonfires, he speaks of them as so used. When news of the victory of Agincourt reached England, bonfires and dances were ordained in every town, city, and borough, and many times since Richard the Plantagenet gave orders,

Ring bells aloud ; burn bonfires clear and bright
To entertain great England's lawful king.

our hill tops and village greens "have spread glad tidings with their tongues of flame."

A RETROSPECT.

In 1887, Queen Victoria's Jubilee year, the first organized attempt was made to signalize the day of rejoicing by beacon-fires throughout the land. Colonel Milward, M.P., of Worcestershire, used the Malvern heights as a starting point to send the fiery cross of rejoicing north, south, east, and west. If Macaulay's ballad was in the mind of Colonel Milward as he organised bonfires in the Midlands with the Malvern Beacon for their centre, the same poem was in the ears of Canon Rawnsley when he determined to rouse with the "red glare of Skiddaw, the burghers of Carlisle." Not since 1815 had a bonfire been lit upon that ancient Cumbrian height. Then, as Southey has put on record, on a moonlit night he accompanied James Boswell, Lord Sundelin, Dorothy Wordsworth, William Wordsworth, and his son, and with a great crowd of Keswick folk shouted "God save the King" round the most furious body of flaming tar barrels that he ever saw. It was not only round the bonfire that Southey and his friends danced and shouted that night in honour of Waterloo, for Wordsworth, who was wearing a red cloak and looked like a Spanish don, had inadvertently kicked the kettle over which was needed for the making of more punch, and the Greta Hall contingent got round him, and, holding him a prisoner in their midst, punished him for his carelessness by singing in chorus, "'Twas you that kicked the kettle down, 'twas you, sir, you."

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Canon Rawnsley, taking Skiddaw as his centre, organised the bonfires in Cumberland, and with the help of Mr. Cooper, of Monk Coniston, and Mr. Baddeley, of Windermere, the Lake Country heights north and south of Dunmail Raise answered one another as star to star. On June 22nd, 1887, those who climbed to Skiddaw top saw no fewer than 140 bonfires gleaming like diamond points on mountain height and littoral plain.

Ten years later a more determined effort was made to organize the bonfire movement. After conference with Sir Matthew White Ridley, the Home Secretary—from whom it was ascertained that though the Queen, from personal considerations, could not allow any signal for lighting the fires to be made at any of the Royal seats, she was in sympathy with the movement—a meeting of friends was called at the House of Commons on April 8th, Lord Cranborne in the chair, and a representative Committee was appointed, with Colonel Milward, M.P., Canon Rawnsley, and Major F. C. Rasch, M.P., as Hon. Secretaries, and it was unanimously resolved that the Lord-Lieutenants and Chairmen of County Councils should be asked to invite their counties to co-operate in a national scheme for bonfire illuminations on Queen's night, June 22nd, 1897. The scheme was warmly taken up, and, though many bonfires did not report themselves, the committee in their final report were able to enumerate 2,548, of which nearly 2,000 were in England and the remainder in Scotland, Ireland, Wales, and the Channel Islands.

The largest number of fires counted from any one point was seen from the Mendip Hills, where more than 200 were counted; 142 were counted from Broadway, in Worcestershire, and 132 were seen from the Malvern Beacon. How the bonfires were seen from Skiddaw was described in the papers at the time. On that occasion a "Lucal," or oil flare, was used upon the Coniston Old Man with great success. It is interesting to remember that the evening was so fine that only one bonfire was postponed, and that in the Isle of Man; and only one bonfire was fired before the time—this at Cleeve-Cloud. The story goes that the watchman told off to guard the great bonfire, which had been built up with great labour and material at the cost of £70, fell asleep, but,

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dreaming that Jubilee night had come, woke to find his bonfire unlit, and incontinently put match to it. It is fair to say that the Cleeve-Clouders were equal to the occasion, and in their loyalty rebuilt the pile, and so did double honour to the Queen.

At the time of King Edward's Coronation, in 1902, a central committee, with Lord Cranborne in the chair, Colonel Griffith Boscawen, M.P., Mr. G. A. Milward, son of the late Colonel Milward, and Canon Rawnsley, as co-secretaries, sent a similar circular and appeal to county and city authorities. Owing to the King's illness, the bonfires, which had been built in readiness for June 22nd, remained unlit till Sunday, June 29th. On that day telegraphic communication was sent by the Chairman from London, urging that all bonfires should be lighted on the following night, Monday, June 30th. The time given was too short to allow of a full response, for many bonfires had been partially dismantled, and arrangements had been made to make others the crowning feature of village entertainments, which could not possibly be prepared at such short notice, but 1,722 were chronicled at headquarters.

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A MEETING of members and friends of the bonfire movement, convened unofficially in the House of Commons on March 21st this year, elected Lord Morpeth, now Lord Carlisle, to be their Chairman. They agreed to adopt the organisation of the previous occasions and to issue a similar circular; and in order to lessen the labour of the Hon. Secretaries the United Kingdom was divided into districts, each with its own Secretary. London and the South were apportioned to Mr. W. R. Campion, M.P.; the Midlands to Mr. G. H. Milward; the North of England to Canon Rawnsley; Wales to Mr. T. H. W. Idris; Scotland to Col. H. M. Cadell; and Ireland to Colonel James M. Mc.Calmont, M.P.; Mr. Robert W. Greensmith undertook to help in Derbyshire, Major Herbert Neve in the Weald of Kent, Mr. Charles Baker in North Pembrokeshire, Mr. F. W. S. Mc.Laren in Lincolnshire, Sir John Barran, M.P., in the West Riding of Yorkshire, Major E. W. Morrison Bell in Devonshire, and Mr. John Ainsworth, M.P., in Argyllshire. The same hour of lighting as before was adopted—viz., 10 p.m. south of the Border, 10-30 north of the Border—and it was suggested in the circular that where possible the boy scouts should be asked to co-operate, to which arrangement their headquarters readily agreed.

THE CIRCULAR.

The Central Coronation Bonfires Committee.

Chairman ... THE EARL OF CARLISLE.

Hon. Co-Secretaries.

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DEAR SIR,—At a meeting of members and friends of the movement, convened unofficially in the House of Commons on March 21st, a Central Committee was formed, of which the Earl of Carlisle (then Lord Merpeth) was elected Chairman, to enlist the sympathies of the Counties and Boroughs of Great Britain and Ireland and the Colonies in a Bonfire Scheme in honour of the Coronation of King George V, on June 22nd, 1911. The following resolutions were passed:—

GENERAL COMMITTEE.

No. 1.—That a General Committee be appointed, with power to add to their number; the gentlemen above named to act as Honorary Co-Secretaries.

HOOR OF LIGHTING.

No. 2.—That a circular be sent to the Lord-Lieutenants, Chairmen of County Councils, the Lord Mayors and Mayors, Lord Provosts, Provosts, and Conveners of Counties, inviting them to urge, through their respective bodies and the local press, or otherwise, that their Counties and Boroughs should co-operate, by forming Bonfire Committees, to fall in with the plan suggested of firing their bonfires simultaneously at 10 o'clock, Greenwich time, on Coronation day. North of the Border the hour to be 10-30 p.m., owing to the long light in the north.

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It was pointed out that the bonfires, if properly constructed, would last well on towards midnight, and that the distance, especially to mountain heights, made 10 o'clock an hour quite late enough for the convenience of spectators, south of the Border.

SIGNAL ROCKETS.

The Committee recommend that for England, Ireland, and Wales, a detonating rocket should be sent from any principal height at 9-55 to call attention; that at 10 o'clock a magnesium star rocket should be fired, to be followed by other rockets, the bonfires be lighted, and the National Anthem sung. Where possible, the hills should be specially illuminated at the same time with red, white, and blue coloured fires, in tins of 5lbs. each for all the more important heights. For Scotland the same arrangements at 10-25 to 10-30. At 11 o'clock, when all bonfires will be a-light, it is hoped that a bouquet of rockets will be sent up and the National Anthem be again sung. Rockets will probably be sent up at intervals till 11 o'clock; but this must be left to the discretion of local committees.

A CAUTION.

The Committee wish to caution the public against standing too near to leeward of the bonfire mass at the time of lighting if it has been saturated with paraffin; the flame has been known to fly out as much as 150 feet, and the Committee are very anxious that no accident should mar the Coronation night.

FIREWORKS.

Special arrangements have been made with Messrs. James Pain & Son, by Royal Warrant Pyrotechnists to His Majesty the King, Mitcham, Surrey (Tel. address, "Pain, Mitcham"), who offer to supply all Bonfire Committees, *bona fide* members of our National Bonfire Union, at a discount of 25 per cent. on all their rockets and coloured fires, and a further 15 per cent. reduction if the orders are sent to them on or before June 15th; also 15 per cent. on flambeaux. The order from each Bonfire Committee who wish to ensure this reduction in price must be accompanied by a card of introduction from our Central Committee. All who intend

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to join in the Bonfire Scheme, and wish for introduction to Messrs. Pain, are asked to communicate as follows:—London, Middlesex, Kent, Surrey, Sussex, Hants, Wilts, Dorset, Somerset, Devon, Cornwall, Isle of Wight, and Channel Islands, with W. R. Campion, Esq., M.P., House of Commons, London, S.W. Monmouth, Gloucester, Oxford, Berks, Bucks, Herts, Essex, Suffolk, Cambridge, Bedford, Northampton, Hunts, Warwick, Worcester, Hereford, Salop, Stafford, Leicester, Rutland, Norfolk, Notts, with G. H. Milward, Esq., 40 Buckingham Palace Mansions, London, S.W. Cheshire, Yorks, Lancashire, Westmorland, Cumberland, Durham, Northumberland, and Isle of Man, with Rev. Canon Rawnsley, Crosthwaite Vicarage, Keswick. Scotland, with H. M. Cadell, Esq., Grange, Linlithgow, N.B. Ireland, with Col. James M. Mc.Calmont, House of Commons. Wales, with T. H. W. Idris, Esq., 120 Pratt Street, Camden Town, London, N.W. The following also have kindly offered to assist:—For Derbyshire, Robt. W. Greensmith, Esq., Dalbury Lees, Derby; for the Weald of Kent, Major Herbert Neve, Pullington, Benenden, Cranbrook; for North Pembrokehire, Charles E. Baker, Esq., 54 Parliament Street, Westminster, S.W.; for Lincolnshire, F. W. S. Mc.Laren, Esq., M.P., House of Commons, Westminster; West Riding of Yorkshire, Sir John Barran, M.P.; Devonshire, Major E. W. Morrison Bell, M.P.; Argyllshire, John Ainsworth, Esq., M.P.

HINTS FOR THE BUILDING OF BONFIRES.

The following hints as to the construction of bonfires may be useful:—Experience has shown that the taking of railway sleepers, tar, wood, and other materials to the tops of the greater heights for fuel is very costly, and that furze, whin bushes, thorns and faggots make a bright blaze but burn out too quickly, and are disappointing. It is suggested that, wherever possible by leave of the owner, peats should be dug at the nearest point to the summit. These, if cut thin and set up to dry without loss of time, in ordinary weather, should be ready for fuel by the 22nd June. They can be sledged up by a horse and gear a day or two before the building of the bonfire without much cost, and, if built with good air passages at the base communicating with a central chimney and saturated with a barrel of paraffin or petroleum or creosote (use a water-can sprinkler

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or long-handled ladle), will burn with a steady fire for three or four hours. The diameter of the base must, of course, be determined by the amount of peat ready to hand. It has been found with a diameter of 12 feet and a height of 10 feet a very considerable body of fire is obtainable. The only caution needed is, that the peats should not be built solid, but like open brickwork with interstices to allow air passage. If occasional layers of dried larch-cuttings or faggots can be interposed to give lightness to the mass, so much the better. Light from the top, and from time to time rake out the bottom flues with a larch pole to keep the air-ways clear. The cost of two bonfires thus constructed on Skiddaw was £20.

To ensure the success of ordinary bonfires, all that is necessary is to keep a good air draught through the centre of the pile; to effect this, let short vertical posts be placed in the ground in a circle round a central pole, which may be 10ft. to 20ft. high, with which they must be connected by horizontal bars like the spokes of a wheel. The bonfire materials may be piled on to and round this staging. For the construction of larger bonfires up to 50ft. in height, full instructions, with illustrations, will be found in a pamphlet in verse, "A Bonfire Ballad for Boy Scouts," price 2d., published at the Boy Scouts' Scottish Headquarters, 1 South Charlotte Street, Edinburgh.

ALTERNATIVE LIGHT.

On the most inaccessible heights it has been suggested that, instead of a bonfire, what is known as a "Flare" could be arranged for. The flare light on Coniston Old Man at the Diamond Jubilee was a great success; it shone out like a star. Mr. J. M. McMurtrie, 212 West Regent Street, Glasgow, will supply on hire "Lucal" lamps (weighing about 1 cwt.), fitted for one, two, or three flares from 10,000 to 20,000 candle power, at a cost of £7 per light, plus carriage each way. These flares will burn two hours. For fuller particulars as to amount of oil and water needed, address Mr. McMurtrie, as above.

Coloured lights, if used as at the Diamond Jubilee, on any church, cathedral, and town hall towers, should be burnt in iron buckets, to prevent all possibility of fire; so burned, safety is assured. N.B.—When used on mountain tops, burn them a little below the summit.

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The Committee are extremely anxious that it should be known that they do not undertake to advise as to the cost of rockets, paraffin, or bonfire material; nor have they any central fund from which to subsidise local subscriptions to cost of bonfires.

We shall be very glad to hear as early as possible of any Bonfire Committees in your County or Borough who intend to join us, in order that an official record may be kept. Matters would be simplified if some one person would act as local secretary for his County or Borough.

We sincerely hope that the boy scouts may lend a hand not only in collecting material for the bonfires, but, when built, to prevent mischievous firing. The suggestion is approved by Headquarters, and has been inserted in their official gazette. We suggest that landowners and farmers, instead of allowing their workmen to burn fallen wood, tree and hedge clippings, should keep them for use on Coronation day.

It will much facilitate the keeping of a record if correspondents who send us the sites of bonfires would state the county in which the bonfire is situate..

We have the honour to remain, yours very faithfully,

W. R. CAMPION,	} <i>Hon. Co-Secretaries.</i>
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NOTE.—The question of sending up rockets at intervals of one, five, fifteen, or thirty minutes, or one hour after lighting the bonfires, must be left to each local Committee to decide according to the funds at their disposal; the more continuous the display the better.

The Firing of the Beacons.

THE atmospheric conditions of June 22nd were not propitious for the Coronation bonfire display. Though the rain held off in the Midlands and the South-west, and does not appear to have interfered with the lighting of the bonfires in some parts of Scotland, it prevented many from being lighted in Wales and the English Lake District, and even where no rain fell, so obscured was the horizon that several bonfires that were lit were invisible from well-known points of view.

Fortunately the storm of Thursday gave way to a very calm evening on Friday, and allowed a beautiful display on the Lake District hills round Keswick. Owing to the inability to send telegraphic messages on Coronation Day, it was impossible to arrange for all bonfire builders to hold over the firing of them till the following night, and thus many that would otherwise have too willingly waited for a finer night were lighted under conditions of storm and rain.

But it is clear from correspondence that even under the worst conditions of weather the enthusiasm of the crowds that assembled at the lighting was undamped, and the bonfires, though not seen at a distance, gave great pleasure to those who had come together to the sight.

The county that had the largest number of fires was Devonshire, 276, followed by Yorkshire and Derbyshire with 163 and 81 respectively. In England altogether there were 1,565.

Christ's Hospital bonfire, on Sharpenhurst Hill, was remarkable. The whole school, numbering 820, formed a great semi-circle and sang the National Anthem to the accompaniment of cornets. Notwithstanding the rain, the bonfire, built scientifically, burned most bravely.

Another interesting bonfire was built by the scholars of Windlesham House, Brighton, on the old Roman Camp, "Castle Mound," at Hartfield. The head master, with twenty-four boys, most of them boy scouts, had

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gone to camp at this village on the previous day, and finding that no bonfire had been arranged for, they borrowed a van, and while the masters got between the shafts, they pushed it to a neighbouring wood, and having obtained leave to do so, set to work to bring loads of fuel for the morrow's bonfire. They worked all the next day in pouring rain, so well, that the pile, 18ft. high and 12ft. broad, was finished and ready for the firing at 10 o'clock. The rain stopped at 9-45, and on the firing of the signal rocket from the Crystal Palace, the torch was put to the fire and the flame roared up. Six other fires were seen in the neighbourhood.

In the Lake District the school that distinguished itself was the elementary school at Braithwaite, and for individual effort the same village must be remembered, for one of the Thornthwaite miners upon the Kinn Edge, with his own hands, built a pile, which, when the children's fire on Grisedale Pike had finished burning, was lit and glowed like a jewel upon the dark hill mass of the west of Bassenthwaite. The scholars also at Threlkeld Quarry distinguished themselves by arranging for a fine bonfire.

The highest bonfire erection that we have record of was the bonfire at Whitehaven. It rose to a height of 103ft. Another, at Farringdon, near Exeter, was 70ft. high. Built up by labouring men after working hours with materials supplied by farmers, it contained 250 tons of wood, and though it was not placed on any eminent spot, 20 other bonfires were seen from it. A large bonfire too in the south was built on Rose Hill, Sutton, of material given chiefly by Messrs. Brock. It was about 50ft high and was 35ft. wide at the base. Into the central chimney of this structure a complete mass of trees, oak beams, doors, etc., a properly constructed archway 6ft. high by 4ft. wide was formed, which allowed visitors to pass inside and see the method of its building. It was lit at the top by a match 100ft. long. The wife of the Rector of Sutton set fire to the fuse, and in a few seconds a great flare from the top showed the bonfire well alight. A thousand people were gathered round the bonfire, and neither the fire nor the fireworks are likely to be forgotten.

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Owing to the rain storms, mists, and clouds, there was no great number of bonfires seen at one time in most cases, though we hear that from Swinscoe, in Staffordshire, 73 were seen, and 50 from Denham Beacon. At the time of the Diamond Jubilee no less than 100 fires were counted from this last point.

In some parts of the country it would seem that the amount of money collected for the Coronation was so entirely absorbed in other festivities that nothing was left for bonfires. This was notably so in Oxfordshire and Berkshire. Thus, for example, where from Boar's Hill 90 fires were counted in 1897, on this occasion not more than 17 were visible. On the other hand it must be remembered that owing to atmospheric hindrances a very large number of fires though lit, were not visible from the larger heights.

The heavy rain storm prevented a few of the bonfires from being fired. This was notably so when the bonfire was built of peat which had not been covered with tarpaulin, as it is always wise to do. For instance the fine peat bonfire erection on Ingleborough was not lightable owing to its soaking condition, notwithstanding use of solid paraffin. It does not seem to have much mattered, for various correspondents at a distance report having seen a fine blaze on Ingleborough. They probably mistook the Lucal light on Penygent. As a matter of fact a bonfire on Ingleborough was eventually fired on Saturday, September 9th.

The bonfire at Nenthead was an example of the great difficulty in lighting a wet bonfire in an exposed position. My correspondent thus describes it:—"After several failures to light it at the top with burning torches, we rolled a tar barrel against the windward side, and filled it with paraffin paper. The boldest of us, while seven or eight men spread their overcoats round him to keep off the fierce eddies of the gale and the driving rain, volunteered to crawl into the barrel and light the paper. Twenty or thirty matches were blown out as soon as struck; at last one succeeded, and the match striker jumped out just in time, and after a few minutes we held the tar barrel with its mouth spurting flame to the pile, but it was too soaked to catch fire even from this blazing barrel. We tried throwing lighted tar boards on to the bonfire top, but they all failed.

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At last it was determined to light the pile on the lee-side where it was dry at the bottom. The fire caught and worked rapidly round the base, and our bonfire was lit at last."

This same correspondent, who had been instrumental in getting volunteer carters and volunteer labourers to cut the fuel, nail-studded rafters and tree stubbs and broken branches, and to carry them on to a windy fell top on very cold evenings, gave a very interesting account of the Nenthead bonfire. Before the lighting of the pile he sat down on the lee of it and passed the time with the only available literature, which happened to be a Socialist paper. The paper was full of denunciations of the master class, who make the workers lose two days' wages for an ornamental function of no interest to them. My correspondent continues: "It sounds oddly under the lee of a bonfire, built wholly by hardworking men on their own initiative and without wages, in their not too abundant spare time. I reflect that people do not always need much pressure from the master class to make them like a holiday, and a great cheerful blaze to delight their children and a circle of far distant lights to remind them of the loyalty of their neighbours."

The enthusiasm at Nenthead, an isolated mining village in Cumberland, was not singular. These bonfires, in most instances raised by volunteers with considerable effort, when they were built on the greater heights, called forth much brotherhood and begat much enthusiasm. The Skiddaw bonfire, for example, could never have been achieved except for the cordial help of farmers and townsmen in the Crosthwaite valley, who gave their teams to help to get material to the top. And to the objection that it was a great waste of money, and that the wood or peat gathered together might have been sold and given to the poor, we have to reply that in very many instances the wood was fallen trees that it could have paid no one to remove, as for example, at Yealand Conyers. Sometimes it was of such rubbish as the skeleton remains of an old windmill, as at Youlbury Heath, Boar's Hill; or again of old boats, as was the case with the Knole Cricket Club bonfire. As a matter of fact the cost of the bonfire on Skiddaw was £7 5s. This included cutting of peat and the team labour that was hired.

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But the fact remains that nothing seems to kindle such enthusiasm as the sight of a great body of flame, and the fiery response of far-off hills, with the knowledge that wherever these points of lights are seen, there too is a rejoicing multitude in brotherly union of loyalty to a great occasion. One does not wish to decry the eating and drinking which seem to have bulked very largely in the matter of our Coronation festivities, but the idealism for which the bonfire movement stood was in the nature of things largely absent from this side of the Coronation celebrations, and long after the tea or the dinner has been forgotten, the memory of the bonfires and rockets will remain to all who took part in building them and to all who saw them.

It is noteworthy to see how the enthusiasm amongst the builders and lighters of bonfires, once awakened, never seems to die out. Thus for example, Mr. Whiston, of Sutton, near Macclesfield, lit the bonfire on Teg's Nose that celebrated the wedding of the late King, and he has presided at the lighting of that bonfire on all occasions since, firing the Coronation bonfire this year. On Skiddaw, the mason, William Gilbanks, who built up the stone flues for the Jubilee bonfire, also built the stone flues for the Coronation bonfire on this occasion.

Not one of the least interesting additions to the bonfires on the heights were the Lucal lights, which were supplied by Messrs. Mc.Murtie, of Glasgow. In places where no fuel could easily be arranged for, these have burned well. The Lucal light on the Low Man of Skiddaw, which was arranged for because the bonfire on the High Man, though visible to all the littoral plain, and seen at Carlisle and far across the Solway, was invisible to the people of Keswick, shone out like a gigantic torch, and the acetylene light, supplied from Barrow, on Coniston Old Man, was seen as far south as Lancaster.

On Scafell, with the help of some quarrymen, Mr. Reay was able to improvise a fire which burned very brilliantly though for a short time, by carrying up old bags which they soaked in paraffin, and this on some future occasion may be remembered as an expedient for inaccessible heights.

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It should not be forgotten that in many instances boy scouts did yeoman service, and especially in Scotland, encouraged largely by the enthusiasm of Colonel Cadell and his Bonfire ballad for the Scouts. Across the Border there were few bonfire committees. Individual effort, helped by boy scouts, often by parish ministers, was the order of the day. A few municipalities undertook the task, but in remote places the personal superintendence of the lairds went to the building of the pyres.

Of course the rockets seen from the heights were a great feature, and the burning of red lights and magnesium torches were also noteworthy additions to the bonfire display. In our lake country the red glory of the Bengal light on Helvellyn, which Mr. Easton of the Nag's Head, at Wythburn, took charge of, was seen far and near.

The secretaries of our movement are very grateful to those who abided so loyally by the programme, and who took such trouble to send particulars and photographs for the record.

Notwithstanding very clear assertion in our preliminary circular that we had no central fund to go towards the expenses of bonfires, and notwithstanding the fact that we gave quite clearly the name of the bonfire firm who would supply rockets specially made for the occasion at certain prices, we were continually being asked not only for subscriptions to local bonfire committees, but orders came to us to supply so many rockets and so much paraffin at a few hours' notice, as though we were both manufacturers of the fireworks and makers of solid paraffin fuel.

We have in conclusion to thank Messrs. James Pain, of Mitcham, Surrey, for their courtesy and swift attention to orders, and Messrs. Mc.Murtrie, of 122 West Regent Street, Glasgow, for having designed so portable a Lucal light, and for the gift of two flares, and the Solid Petroleum Fuel Company, of Southampton Row, London, for their gift of solid paraffin, which, we know from our correspondents, proved of most efficient service for lighting bonfires that had been soaked by rain storm.

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THE SKIDDAW BONFIRE.

JUNE 22ND—23RD.

Deep-wrapped in cloud I heard the Crosthwaite bells

Proclaim the day of crowns had dawned at last,

Clear from the valley came thro' storm and blast

Such sound of man's rejoicing as upswells

When kings are made; To-day along the fells

No fiery signs of triumph could be passed,

But still for king and country I stood fast,

The loneliest pyre of mountain sentinels.

But when the morrow's sun by Solway shore

Had sunk, and all the magic afterglow

Had flushed and faded, sudden on the steep

I felt my soul to banner of flame forth-leap,

And Carlisle's sons and Morecambe's men might know

Old Skiddaw's heart was loyal to the core.

H. D. Rawnsley.

The Coronation Bonfire on Skiddaw.

THE storm of Coronation Day that raged round Skiddaw had given way to calm and sunlight. It was determined, though the glass still stood at rain, to fire the beacon, or so much of it as it was hoped had not been blown away by the furious winds of the preceding day and night.

The day improved. Telegrams were dispatched to the Committees in charge of bonfires on neighbouring heights, and away at four o'clock in the afternoon started the rocket-men and the builders to repair any havoc that the wind might have played with the peat-stack on the summit. For though we had securely fastened the larch-pole tripod round which the peats had been built with iron rope and heavily weighted the whole mass with stone, so fierce was the wind at the time of building that one of the builders was lifted clean off his feet, and the storm had increased in violence since that day.

Going up some hours later, I passed through the larches of Latrigg to the Gale, and heard the cuckoo calling from the green-grey slopes of Skiddaw as the ancient Roman guard had done who held their little outlook camp here, and could not help thinking how at the call of that "wandering voice"—the one familiar voice in a strange land—those men of old time had been cheered with thoughts of home. They, too, probably on just such an evening as this, had seen bonfires in olden time, for it was Midsummer Eve, and on Midsummer Eve the Brigantes hereabout would doubtless have lit their fires in yonder Druid Circle on Castrigg Fell, and rolled their burning wheels of straw for Beltane festival down the slopes of Skiddaw.

The winds were laid, and all the mountain ranges stood clear against fair sky. No evening could have better suited our purpose. Climbing up by the hut on to Jenkin, the only sound that broke the silence was the chirruck of the grouse on Lonscale. "Come back! Come back!" they cried from the bronze green heather. "No, no," said I, "we are going forward. We are bound for Skiddaw-top in honour of the King."

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Suddenly, on far-off Glaramara, the flood of golden light appeared, emphasised by the grey slate-blue of all the Borrodale hills. The green bilberry and fern of the neighbouring slope seemed suddenly to be flushed with the emerald of a new spring, and I knew that the afterglow had begun.

Presently all the town of Keswick at our feet appeared to have put on the festal attire of illumination before the time, and far-off house windows on the slopes burned like jewels. The light streaming from the north-west, though its golden source was hidden from us by the mass of Skiddaw Low Man, struck over the heights of Castrigg Fell on to Helvellyn, and the blue mountain wall from Shoulthwaite to Thirlspot glowed into molten gold. The shadows of neighbouring hills, darker for the glow, seemed to mark off this great shining mass into the shape of a crown. Helvellyn was determined, whether a flare upon its top was lit or no, to do honour to the crowning of the King.

The radiance grew and grew. Every rock and gully upon its flank seemed to burn like living jewels. "Cush man," said a Cumbrian shepherd close by me, as he leaned upon his staff, "Ah hev' follerd t' sheep for forty year upon these hills, and nivver seen the likes o' yon," and the dog by his side seemed as appreciative as his master. "Bonfire or nea bonfire, it's wuth t' clim up Skidda to-neet fur sec a sight as that noo. Ah wadn't ha' missed it for punds."

As he spoke there shot up into heaven a great pillar of rainbow from over the shoulder of Blencathra. I had never seen a rainbow at a quarter past nine at night in my life before, and took it as a sign of hope for the new King's reign. The mystery and magic of it all lay in the fact that we could not see the mystery-maker, for between us and the light in the north the great mountain mass of Skiddaw stood blue-grey.

Meanwhile the gold upon Helvellyn went to rose. The little tarn of Tewfit upon Naddle shone ruby-red. Presently beyond the purple waste of Matterdale and the vaporous distance beyond, the whole range of Crossfell began to burn, and when, as suddenly as it had flamed into being, the flanks of Helvellyn passed back into grey-blueness the mountain wall far to the east stood up like a rosy bar of morn upon the lilac haze of distance.

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Still up we went, feeling each step more light and easy for the cool refreshing air, till the path beyond Jenkin beneath the "Little Man" was reached and the waste of Skiddaw Forest lay in pure purple beneath us. Climbing up over the rough shales of Broad-end, we passed the village schoolmaster in charge of the "flare," and made our way along the ridge towards the upstanding pile of the Skiddaw bonfire. Derwentwater and Bassenthwaite lay below us faint silver still washed with gold; the islands on the former lay as black as jet. The great littoral plain rolled towards what seemed a mighty river hung in air. This was the Solway, and beyond it Criffel and the Scotch hills stood ghostly grey.

Now we could see the glory of the mystery-maker of that afterglow. Above the white Solway water, above the grey-blue hills, the molten bars of sunset stood revealed, whilst sailing up towards the zenith, from time to time like rosy galleons, "cloudlets" passed away and faded in middle heaven.

But the beauty of that evening sky lay not so much in the long lingering bars of sunset as in the great clear ocean inlet of opal light that seemed to flood in from some ærial Atlantic between headlands covered with black forest growth—the purple-black clouds of night. Suddenly, like some vast lighthouse tower on one of these forest headlands, a light was seen, and the planet Venus, lighting her torch, conjured forth from Bassenthwaite a marvellous reflection of its world of flame. Star called to star, and suddenly we were aware of Jupiter, glorious above the pike of Grizedale to the west.

But we had other work to do than look at stars or evening sky, for the bonfire was still in building. A sturdy helper stood on the pile, fifteen feet high, deftly placing into position the peats that, first soaked in a barrel of paraffin, were being thrown up to him. Then all the light brushwood that had been prepared for the bonfire top was stowed into place between the upstanding horns of the larch poles, round which the pile had been built. These were well trampled down, more peats added, a sack of shavings dipped in paraffin was packed away, and, descending from his perch, he and other stalwart helpers deluged the mass with paraffin thrown on to it by buckets or sprayed on to it by garden syringes, and the bonfire waited for the torch.

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At 9-55 a ship's signal rocket went up and broke with a loud report. We could hear the echo like distant thunder from the hills across Bassenthwaite, and in a moment from the heights at Grizedale, Catbels, and the King's How in Borrodale other thunder-makers sailed into heaven. So quiet was the air that the bonfire-builders on Grizedale Pike, above the Whinlatter Pass, heard distinctly the echo of the signal rocket that was fired on Scafell Pike miles to the south. Then a magnesium rocket sailed up, and we saw a globe of light in answer on far Helvellyn and Scafell top, and we knew that there were watchers on those heights also determined to share our offering of loyalty to the King.

"It is 10 o'clock," shouted the bonfire-builder, and bidding all the people come to windward the torch-holder applied a light to his torch and touched the shavings on the top of the pile. It must have astonished all who had never seen a peat bonfire, well paraffined, lit before, to see how in a moment, with a great roar of jubilation, the whole of that mass from top to bottom blazed out into light, and sent out its banner of flame for a hundred feet or more above the Crosthwaite Vale. Then the roar of the ten thousand tongues of flame was for a moment drowned in the hearty singing of the National Anthem and the cheers that followed.

Many bonfires had been lit on the previous night, but here and there steady stars were seen to jewel the dark-blue carpet of the plain, and rockets were observed to sail up and hang like globes of light and disappear. From Gummars How in the south, to Wigton in the north the bonfire-makers were busy. As for our neighbours, the most beautiful bonfire was the one that glowed on Grizedale Pike. Barrow burned brightly in answer to Catbels for a short time, and one of the most beautiful immediate effects was the red fire upon Helvellyn top.

It was a disappointment to us all that the "flare" which had been kindly lent by Messrs. Mc.Murtrie for Helvellyn could not be got up at the short notice given, but our "flare" on Broad End burned like a splendid torch, and must have been seen far and wide. Scafell answered us bravely with its rockets, and those who were in charge of that height had been able at short notice to work a bonfire light that burned for a considerable time.

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Not the least beautiful part of our celebration on Skiddaw was the way in which rockets at the summit and the burnings of green and red light were answered by the rockets and coloured lights at Skiddaw Broad End. The nearest fire on the east was the fire at Caldbeck, seen in the Caldew gap, which by its brightness and length of burning must have been of considerable size.

Some of us, leaving the roar of the pyre at the summit, went off through quiet air to Broad End to watch the festal fires on Derwentwater. The boats seemed "like fireflies tangled in a golden braid," and rockets from Crow Park sailed up and broke in answer to our own.

At 11 o'clock a bouquet of rockets ascended from Skiddaw High Man and fell into stars of red, white, and blue. Again the National Anthem rang out clear, and leaving the fire still burning furiously we turned our backs upon it and began the descent.

Only those who have had to stumble through semi-darkness down over the Skiddaw shales and through the broken turf and pitfalls on Jenkin side can know the difficulty of such descent, and a week after they will still probably be reminded that certain muscles in their stumbling and recovering themselves were brought into play which had not been brought into play before. But the hut was reached at last, and the delight of the ease gained for foot as we traversed the Gale meadows and passed down through the larches of Latrigg more than compensated for the sorrow of the descent.

The cool air of the valley was sweet with elder flower. Belated lovers came wandering up through the shadows to see the sunrise from Skiddaw, with such sunrise doubtless in their hearts that they might well have forgone the climb. No voice but the corncrake was heard in the meadows, and the solemn quiet of Skiddaw, restored to its ancient tranquillity, sank into one's soul.

The afterglow upon Helvellyn, the gorgeous fire upon Skiddaw top, seemed passed as suddenly as a dream, so strange the contrast between silent vale and jubilant mountain peak; but the memory of the bewitching evening climb, and all the Coronation joy upon that ancient height will live for ever.

An asterisk denotes that there is a photograph of this Bonfire.

Bedfordshire (*3 reported*).

Aspley Guise Woburn

Dunstable, Chelton Beacon

Berkshire (19 reported).

BeaumontInkpen Beacon

Chilton Kingsclere-in-Newbury

Crowthorne. Lodge Hills (300ft. Knowl Hill

above sea level), built by local
Linden Hill

Committee, Lt.-Col. Hinde,
Chairman, Midgham

Eton, the Buces. Sidney Mum. Reading, Beech Hill, built by

Secretaries Stokenchurch

Faringdon, White Horse Hill Tilehurst

(850ft. above sea level), noti- Upper Youldbury Hill, Charles

Haines Hill

Wells, Hon. Secretary
Winfield Beachwell

Hungerford Beacon

Hurst

Buckinghamshire (14 reported).

Amersdown

Bledlow, notified by George H. built by G. Taylor and H. J. Thomas

Quinet
Newton Longville

Brill. H. A. Swain, Hon. Princes Bishborough Whiteleaf

Secretary Hill (800ft. above sea level),

Cholesbury Common

Flackwell Heath

High Wycombe, Beacon Hill by villagers, A. H. Tranter,

(600ft. above sea level), 40ft. Hon. Secretary (8 fires seen)

high, J. Dean, Hon. Secretary West Wycombe

Lane End, H. H. Worthington, Wing

Cambridgeshire (9 reported).

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Cheshire (22 reported).

Alderley Edge	Hill Warren
Beeston Castle Hill, organiser, G. E. Cotton	Kersal Moor
Birkenhead, Mersey Park	Marple Ridge, notified by Regi- nald Potts
Burton Manor, D. Wishart, Hon. Secretary	Mellor, W. Chadwick, Hon. Secretary
Cholmondley, fired by March- ioness of Cholmondley, St. John Charlton, Agent to Marquis of Cholmondley, Hon. Secretary	*Micklehurst, Herford Lawton, Hon. Secretary
Congleton, Timbersbrook, H. Mawson, Hon. Secretary	*Mow Cop, notified by Reginald Potts
Disley, Jackson's Edge, notified by Alfred Darbyshire	Stretton
Ellesmere Port	Stretton-on-Fosse
Frodsham Hill, notified by Regi- nald Potts	Sutton, Macclesfield, Teg's Nose (1,000ft. above sea level), (20ft. high), fired and notified by W. Whishton (50 fires seen)
Gatley, C. M. Street, Hon. Secretary	Werneth Low, notified by Regi- nald Potts
High Billinge	Whaley Bridge, Hawkhurst (30ft. high), H. Power, Hon. Secretary

Cornwall (46 reported).

Bodmin	Great Hills, built by local Com- mittee, J. J. Britton, Hon Secretary (15 fires seen)
Boscastle, notified by Rev. J. H. Dickinson, Chairman; Karl Durston, Hon. Secretary	Jacobstow, Jewell Burrow, T. H. Paynter, Hon. Secretary
Bude Beacon	Ladock
Camborne Carn	Land's End, Carn Bosavern
Carne Beacon, fired by Wallas Blamey; Canon Kempe, Hon. Secretary (20 fires seen)	Laneast Down (800ft. above sea level), E. G. B. Lethbridge, Hon. Secretary (43 fires seen)
Coverack, Chyralls Point	Lezant, Trekenner
Cury	Linkinhorne, Elbow, notified by Miss Frances Trehane
Downderry	Liskeard, Castle Hill
Gevennagh, Carnmarth, fired by Mrs. Beauchamp, notified by C. James, Hon. Secretary	Luxalgan Church Tower (Flare)
Gorran, J. J. Britton, Hon. Secretary (15 fires seen)	Mesack Point

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CORNWALL--Continued.

Michaelstowe Beacon (700ft. above sea level), J. H. Secombe, Hon. Secretary	St. German's
Mullion, The Cairn	St. German's, Colgear
Padstow, Crugmeer	St. Just-in-Roseland
Penrhyn, Tolcarne Height, W. Perry Williams, Chairman	St. Keverne
Penzance, Trengwainton	St. Mabyn's Beacon
Pillaton, High Kernock Beacon	St. Merryn
Ridge Hill (1,087ft. above sea level), notified by F. R. Rodd (68 fires seen)	St. Minver, Trevelver Hill
St. Agnes Beacon	Saltash, C. W. Clarke, Hon. Secretary
St. Day, Wheel Jewell, notified by C. James	Shevioc
St. Enoder, Summercourt Beacon, H. Nancarrow, Hon. Secretary	Stoke Climsland
St. Gennys	Stratton, Stamford Hill
	Tor Point, Borough Farm
	Truro, Polwhele
	Wadebridge Hill, T. Rickard, Hon. Secretary
	Warbston Barrow

Cumberland (55 reported).

Anthorn, Hilton Middleton, Hon. Secretary	Castle Carrock, Knotts Quarry, G. B. Routledge, Hon. Secretary
Bassenthwaite (2)	*Corby Castle (Mr. Howard's bonfire), T. Beaton, Chairman
Borrodale, King's How, H. G. Layland and G. T. Mounsey, Hon. Secretaries	Dalemain, built by Canon Hasell
Bowness-on-Solway, notified by the Rev. L. D. Milton	*Fourstones, Warden Hill (35ft. high), A. Wright and W. T. Butland, Hon. Secretaries (17 fires seen)
*Bowscar Hill, built by Boy Scouts from material given by A. W. Erskine (4 fires seen)	Gilsland, Temple Heap, W. R. Wright, Hon. Secretary
Braithwaite, Grizedale Pike, built by G. Watson and school children	Great Broughton, Buckhill, (16ft. high), Jas. Gilchrist, Hon. Secretary
Braithwaite, Kinn Edge, built by William Barnes	Great Clifton, Old Westray Pit Bank (24ft. high), James Gilchrist, Hon. Secretary
*Brampton, fired by Rev. T. Armstrong, G. C. Osborne, Hon. Secretary	Great Musgrave (8 fires seen)
Broughton, R. Telford, Hon. Secretary	Greystoke, Summer Grounds (Mr. H. C. Howard's bonfire), fired by the Lady Mabel Howard
*Caldbeck, Ratten Row, Fauld's Brow	
Caldew Fell	

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CUMBERLAND—Continued.

- *Hallbankgate, Carlisle (30ft. high), R. G. Reader, Hon. Secretary
- Harrington, Walkers Brow, built by Boy Scouts, I. Graham, Hon. Secretary
- *Heads Nook, Faugh Hill, G. W. Avery, Chairman
- Helvellyn (Flare), managed by G. Easton
- Irthington, Thorny Hill, T. Waugh, Hon. Secretary
- Kirkbride, C. H. Harrison, Hon. Secretary
- Knipe Scar, wood given by Lord Lonsdale, fired by Miss Hudson
- Langholm
- Lorton, Whinfell (30ft. high), built by farmers, fired by W. U. Armstrong, H. A. Taylor, Hon. Secretary (6 fires seen)
- Lowca, Whitehaven, J. Johnson, Hon. Secretary
- Lynholme Common, Robert Goodfellow, Hon. Secretary
- Maryport, Broughton Moor, G. Armstrong, Hon. Secretary
- Mealsgate, Watchhill, P. Murray Thompson, Hon. Secretary
- Mell Fell, built by A. W. Rumney
- Muncaster Fell
- Nenthead, Black Hill Edge, notified by J. Kenyon and Caldwell Harpur
- Newlands, Catbels, built by the Rev. B. L. Carr and helpers
- Port Carlisle, F. Whyte, Hon. Secretary
- Ruckcroft, G. J. Dixon, Hon. Secretary
- Scafell, built by quarrymen, J. Reay, Hon. Secretary (8 fires seen)
- *Silloth, Eagle Hill, fired by Boy Scouts, W. W. Harvey, Hon. Secretary (12 fires seen)
- *Skiddaw, built by members of Keswick Committee, fired by Canon Rawnsley, H. Swinburn, Hon. Secretary (8 fires seen)
- Skiddaw Low Man (Flare), in charge of H. Swinburn
- St. Bees, Tomline Head, J. J. Thompson, Hon. Secretary
- Tallentire Hill, W. Briggs, Hon. Secretary
- Threlkeld Quarry, built by quarrymen
- Threlkeld, White Pike (16ft. high), built and fired by S. Knight, Walter Swallow (Hon. Secretary), H. Greenop, and A. Rea
- Torpenhow, Borrow Scale (800ft. above sea level), William Little, Hon. Secretary
- Trough, Mallshill, A. Kennedy, Jun., Hon. Secretary
- *Warwick, near Carlisle, Warwick Bank, C. E. Pierpont, Chairman
- *Whitehaven (103ft. high), arranged for by Lord Lonsdale, The Whitehaven Colliery Company, and J. A. Jackson
- *Workington, Calva Hill (30ft. high), built by C. A. Valentine, F. W. Iredale, Hon. Secretary
- Wythop, Sale Fell, Rev. P. N. Kennedy, Hon. Secretary
- Ullswater, Hallin Fell, George Macpherson, Hon. Secretary

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Derbyshire (81 reported).

- Alderwasly, Rev. M. D. Wardrop, Chairman
Alsop-en-le-Dale, Moot Low (1,200ft. above sea level), notified by Wm. Tickell (35 fires seen)
Ashton-on-Trent, Aston Hill, Mr. Wall, Hon. Secretary
Bakewell
Ballidon
Baslow, Wellington Monument Hill, built by Rev. W. Vale Bagshawe
Beelsey
Bolsover
Bradbourne
Bradwell, Rebellion Knoll
Brimington
Burton-on-Trent
Buxton, Corbar Hill, W. F. Mill, J.P., Chairman
Buxton, Harpur Hill
Buxton, Solomon's Temple, Frank Langley and J. W. Willoughby, Jun., Hon. Secretaries
Castleton, Tray Cliff, Dr. H. B. Shepherd, Chairman
Chapel-en-le-Frith
Chatsworth Park
Chellaston, the Woodlands, J. Williamson, Hon. Secretary
Chelmerton, The Low (1,400ft. above sea level)
Chesterfield, Tapton Hill, notified by Vincent Smith
Chesterfield, Boythorpe Hill, notified by Vincent Smith
Chesterfield, The Spital, notified by Vincent Smith
Chinley
Clay Cross, Bind Hillocks
Cobden Edge
Codnor Park, Forty Horse Pit Hill (41ft. high), built by the Butterley Co.
Conygree Knob, notified by Rev. R. H. C. Fitz-Herbert (24 fires seen)
Crich Cliff
Cromford-on-Masson, F. C. Arkwright, J.P., Chairman
Dalbury Lees (401ft. above sea level), built by R. W. Green-smith
Denby, near Derby (36ft. high), notified by M. Fryar
Doe Lea
Dove Hole, Cow Low
Duffield, Chevin (800ft. above sea level, 40ft. high), fired by Mrs. Swindell; W. Swindell, Hon. Secretary; W. R. Bland, Superintendent
Eccles Pike
Edale, Lord's Seat, E. Montague Brown, Chairman
Edensor
Eyam, Bale Hills, Edwin Maltby, Hon. Secretary
Glossop, Coombs Edge
Glossop, The Nab, T. H. Morris, Hon. Secretary
Great Longstone, Longstone Edge, L. Bennett, Hon. Secretary
Grindleford
Hathersage
Hayfield, Lantern Pike
Higher Wheeldon, Earl Sterndale, J. Pulpher, Hon. Secretary
Holmes-Field, built by Rev. C. Bradshaw
Horsley, J. Macdonald, Chairman

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

DERBYSHIRE—Continued.

Idridgehay	Quarnford, Oliver Hill (1,550ft. above sea level), notified by Rev. T. H. Peake (50 fires seen)
Ilkeston (Seachlight)	
Kirkby Langley	
Little Eaton	
Littleover, Owlers Hill, Bryan Daykin, Hon. Secretary	Repton, W. A. Daniell, Hon. Secretary
Litton, Litton Edge, Allan Hibbert, Hon. Secretary	Rowarth Hill
Longnor	Shuttleworth & Stanfree
Loscoe, George E. Newton, Hon. Secretary	Spondon, W. Dalby, Hon. Secretary
Mackworth	Sutton Park
Mapleton	Taddington, Humphrey Gate, G. Neaves, Hon. Secretary
Middleton-by-Worksworth	Thurvaston Stoop, Long Lane, R. W. Greensmith, Hon. Secretary
North Wingfield, Alma Tip	
Ockbrook	Tideswell, Brian Hill, Chairman
Palterton, near Bolsover	Tutbury
Parwich	Whatstandwell, F. Askham, Hon. Secretary
Peak Dale, Longridge	Wirksworth, Alport Hill
Peaslow Top, Sparrow Pit, F. Mellor, Chairman	Wormhill
Pilsley-cum-Chatsworth	Yarrock
Quardon, F. P. Westnidge, Hon. Secretary	

Devonshire (276 reported).

Alplington, Knowle Hill	Bampton, Wonham Nap
Alwington, The Downs	Barnstaple (600ft. above sea level), 30 bonfires visible, and reflection of Dunkery Beacon
Anstey, Anstey Barrows	Beer, Furzebrake
Ashburton, Teignmouth Hill	Beesands, Toss Hill
Ashreigncy, Bidefin	Belstone, Watchet Hill, F. H. Ormston Pease, Chairman
Ashton, Castle Park Hill	Berealstone, Furze Ball Hill
Ashwater, Ashwater Barton	Bickleigh
Atherington, Fire Beacon Field	Bideford, Bilberry & Ford
Axmouth, Hawksdown Hill	Bishop's Nympton, Top Down Hill
Bampton, Quarry Nap	
Bampton, Sparkhayne	
Bampton, The Mount Coombe-head	

THE CORONATION BONFIRES

DEVONSHIRE—Continued.

Buckland Filleigh, Woodhead	Chardstock All Saints, South Common
Bishopstawton, Codden Hill	Chardstock, Beacon Hill
Bishopteignton, Little Haldon	Chapman's Beacon, St. Giles
Blackawton, East Hartley Hill	Chawleigh
Black Down	Cheriton Cross
Black Torrington	Cheriton, Windmill Down (650ft. above sea level, 20ft. high, 30 fires seen), C. H. Fulford, Hon. Secretary
Bradford, Lashbrooke	Chevithorne, Chevithorne Hill
Bradninch, The Beacon	Chillington, Molescombe Hill
Bradworthy, The Commons	Chittlehampton, Slade Field, built by Mr. W. Friendship, lighted by Mrs. G. W. Thorold, wood given by Lord Clinton, J. H. Manaton, Hon. Secretary
Bratton Fleming	Chittlehampton, Winsome Farm
Bratton Clovelly	Chudleigh, Play Park
*Braunton, Buckland Hill (24ft. high), notified by W. B. Webber	Chumleigh, The Beacon
Brendon, Scob Hill	Churchstanton, The Hill
Brenton, Brenton Hill	Clist-Honiton, Harris Hill
Bridestowe, North Ball	Clovelly, Gallantry Bower
Bridestowe	Coffinswell, Skill
Bridgerule	Collaston St. Mary, Kirkham Down
Brixham, South Down Hill	Collumpton, Copelands
Broadwiger	Combeinteignhead, The Beacon
Broadwoodkelly	Combe Trenchard
Brushford, Hulverton Hill	Cookbury, Beaconsfield (618ft above sea level), H. Fairfax's bonfire
Buckerell, Bushey Knapp	Coombe Martin, Claridge Hill
Buckfastleigh, Scoviton Down	Cornwood, Korke Tor
Buckland Monarchorm, the Moors	Cove, Vanpost
Buckland-in-the-Moor, Buckland Beacon	Crediton, George Hill
Buckland Filleigh, Great Hill	Crowan, The Beacon
Bude, The Beacon	Cudbury Camp
Bul Ferrers, Furdye Ball Hill	Culmstock, Beacon Hill
Bull Point	Dartmouth
Bushey Knap	
Cadbury, The Castle	
Cadeleigh, The Warren	
Challacombe, Shoulsbury Hill	
Chard, Beacon Hill	

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

DEVONSHIRE—Continued.

Dawlish, Holcombe	Halwell, Stanborough Camp
Dawlish, West Cliff	Harberton, Copperthorn Hill
Devonport	Harbertonford, Higher Ellis Down
Diptford, Kerswell Park	Hatherleigh Moor
Doddiscombsleigh	Hawkchurch, Lambert's Castle
Dolton, Broad Park	Heanton Puchardson, Heanton Hill
Downlands (909ft. above sea level), near Blackborough, A. Fraser Tyler, Hon. Secretary	Helston, Tolcaine Park
Down St. Mary	High Bickington
Drewsteignton, Bowden Ball	Higher Ashton, notified by Gen. Sir Richard Haüisay
Dulverton, Court Down	Hockworthy, Chimney Down
Dunchideock, Knowle Hill	Holbeton, Leeson Cross Hill
East Oggwell, Ransley Hill	Hole Head
Eastdown, The Barton	Holne, Green Down
Escot, The Park	Holsworthy
Exbourne, Bridge Lane Park	Honiton, Marl pits Hill
Exeter, Pennsylvania Hill	Honiton, Clyst, Harris Hill
Exmouth, Phear Park	Horwood, Knowle Hill
Farringdon, Exeter (70ft.), built by working men, notified by the Rev. Alfred Gill	Huccaby Tor (1,100ft. above sea level), 3 bonfires seen, Mr. Willcocks. Hon. Secretary
Farway, Warren Hill	Huish, The Paddock
Feniton, Clappersclose	Huntshaw
Filleigh, Oxford Down	Iddesleigh, Park Hill
Fremington	Ilfracombe, Hillsborough
Frithelstock, Road Park	Instow, Mutton Hill
Georgeham, Kettiwik Down	Inwardleigh, Barton Field
Germanswerk, Barrow Down	Ipplepen, Great Biltor
Gidleigh, Gidleigh Park	Islington, Haytor
Gittisham, Wayhead	Ivybridge, The Western Beacon
Givemap, Carnworth	Jacobstowe, Sunset Corner
Godleigh, Skinnersbrafield	Kenn, Haldon
Gulworthy	Kentisbeare Church Tower (Flare), 404 feet above sea level
Hacombe-with-Coombe, Marsh- lands	Kentisbeare, Montroth Hill

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

DEVONSHIRE—Continued.

Kentisbeare, Strawberry Hill (447ft. above sea level), Alex- ander Fraser Tytler, Hon. Secretary	Milton Abbot, Ramsdown
Kilkhampton	Molland, Cophall Hill
Kingsbridge, Tacket Wood	Monkleigh (Mr. G. Withe- combe's)
Kingsnympton, Beara Cross	Monkokehampton, Harberton Hill
Lapford, Torches Hill	Morchard Bishop, Great Park
Landkey, Flagstaff Hill	Morebath, Surridge Knap
Launceston, Windmill Hill	Moreton Hampstead, Mardon Down
Lee, Flagstaff Hill	Mortehoe, Beacon Hill
Leedstown, John Spurr's Burrow	Musbury, The Castle
Lew Down, School Room Down	Newton Abbot, Wolborough Hill
Lifton, Lowly Beacon	Newton Ferrers
Little Torrington, Great Close Field	North Bovey, Easton Down
Loddiswell, Higher Stobridge	North Hessary, Dartmoor
Loxhore, Ridge Park	Northleigh Hill
Lustleigh	North Molton, Bampfylde Hill
Lydford, High Down	North Tawton, Shaddon Farm
Lympstone, Cliff Field	Oakford
Lympton, Summer House Hill	Ocker Hill
Lynmouth, Summer House Hill	Ogwell, Ogwell Down
Lynton, Summer House Hill	Okehampton Hamlets and Chagford, Meldon Down and Yes Tor (2)
Manaton, Town Rocks	Paignton, Cleeve Point
Mariansleigh, Hilltown Quarry	Parkham, Melbury Down
Marldon, White's Down	Parracombe
Martinhoe, High Veere Point, notified by Victor N. Engel- heart	Parracombe, Chapnor Barrows
Martinhoe, The Beacon	Petersmarland, Winscott
Marytavy, Gibbet Hill	Petertavy, Whit Tor
Maundon Plantation, Wivelis- combe	Petrockstowe, Napp Hill
Meeth	Pinhoe, Beacon Hill
Membury, Membury Castle	Plymouth Hoe
Meshaw, Kitcot Hill	Plympton, Hemerdon Ball Point
	Plymstock, Staddon Heights
	Pontbridge, Lakehead Hill
	Pyeworthy, Stone Park

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

DEVONSHIRE—Continued.

Rackenford Common	Stokeinteignhead, Gabwell
Roborough	Stoke Fleming, Start Bay
Rockbeare, Rockbeare Hill	Stonehouse
Romansleigh, The Beacon	Stoney Corner, Northlew
Rose Ash, Higher Barns Close	Stratton, Stamford Hill
Rose Ash, South Molton	Swymbridge
Salcombe, Ilberstowe Hill	Thorverton, Cadbury Castle
Salcombe Regis, Salcombe Hill (511ft. above sea level), J. B. Unwin, Hon. Secretary (5 fires seen)	Thrushelton, Broadly Down
Saltcombe, Bolt Head	Thurlestone, Beacon Hill
Sampford Peverill, Connigar Hill	Tiverton, Exeter Hill and Hill Top
Sampford Spinney, Pu Tor (28ft. high), C. Calmady, Chairman	Tor
Sandford, Lillyball	Torpoint
Shaldon	Torrington, Huntsham
Sheepstor, Horrabridge	Totnes, Bunkers Hill
Shiphay	Trentishoe, Barrow, Trentishoe, notified by Victor F. Engel- heart
Sidbury, Buckton Hill	Uffcombe
Sidmouth, Peak Hill	Upplowman, Lowman Hill
Silverton, Criss Cross	Uplyme, Knoll Hill (40ft. high), Hubert R. Morgan, Hon. Secretary
Sothawron, Cawsand Beacon	Upottery, Braddick's Knap
South Brent, Brent Hill, W. Hull, Hon. Secretary	Waddon Cross
South Molton, Cockerham Hill	Warkleigh, Fire Beacon
South Pool, Hill Head	Watersmouth, The Warren
Sparkwell, Hemerdon	Wellington, Monument Hill
Staverton, Barton Hill	Werrington, Beacon Park (36ft. high), fired by Miss M. Walters, B. J. Vanstone, Hon. Secretary
St. Breward, Brown Willy	West Alvington
St. Giles-in-the-Heath, near School	Westleigh, Bull Hill
St. Giles-in-the-Wood	Whimble, Rockbeare Hill
Sticklepath, White Stones	Winkleigh
Stockland, Beacon Hill	Witheridge, Chapner Farm

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

DEVONSHIRE—Continued.

Whitestone, Waddlesdown	Woodleigh
Woodbury, Chalfy Hill	Woolacombe, Black Cloud Hill
Woodbury, Cook's Farm	Wonford, Pynes Hill
Woodbury, Parkhayes Farm, Salterton	Yelverton, The Moors

Dorsetshire (*44 reported*).

Allington Hill	Herrison and Charminster, built by Dr. MacDonald, lit by Miss Phyllis MacDonald (3 fires seen)
Beaminster, Storridge Hill	Herston
Bere Regis, Woodbury Hill material given by the Right Hon. Lady Dunsany, fired by Mrs. Montague Bere, the Rev. Montague Bere, Hon. Secretary	Ibberton Hill
Blandford, Bulbarrow	Kington Magna
Blandford, Great Down	Langton (20 fires seen)
Blandford, Iverne Minster	Langton Matravers
Blandford, The Downs, notified by the Rev. F. Salmon	Misterne, High Story (800ft. above sea level), 18ft. high
Bloxworth (203ft. above sea level), 2 seen	Monckton Wyld
Bothen Hill, Walditch	Netherby (30ft. high), built by W. Eveleigh, fired by Miss Dyer, Rev. F. H. Noon and A. W. Salisbury, Hon. Secretaries
Bradford Peverell, Penn Hill (430ft. above sea level), 3 seen	Pilsdon Hill
Charmouth (20ft. high), L. Jones, Hon. Secretary	Poole, Constitution Hill (37ft. high), lighted by the Mayoress (several fires seen)
Dorchester, Poundbury (40ft. high), built by Mr. T. R. Higgins, fired by Mrs. Hughes-Onslow (5 fires seen)	Portland
East Chelborough, Castle Hill	Powerstock, Eggardon Hill
Gillingham, C. F. Ellerton, Hon. Secretary	Rixton, Sturminster Newton
Glanville Wootton, Dungeon (30ft. high), built by T. Hol- ford (23 fires seen)	Shaftesbury Castle Hill
Hambledon Hill	Sherborne, Totnel (9 other fires seen), Chairman, the Rev. Leonard Jenkins
Hasdown Hill	Shipton Beacon
	Swanage (30ft. high), S. D. Sewell and C. J. Deans, Hon Secretaries.

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

DORSETSHIRE—Continued.

Symondsbury, Broadstone, T. W.	Wareham
Besant, Hon. Secretary	
Symondsbury, Colmer's Hill	Wareham, Creech Barrow,
T. W. Besant, Hon. Secretary	materials supplied by L. W. G.
Symondsbury, Thorncombe	Bond (8 fires seen)
Beacon, T. W. Besant, Hon.	Whitchurch
Secretary	Winterbourne, Stickland
Walditch	Wynford Eagle, Wynford Hil

Durham (14 reported).

Cockfield, W. Walker, Hon.	Jarrow, W. Lamb and J. W.
Secretary	Sowerby, Hon. Secretaries
*Croxdale Colliery	Middleton-in-Teesdale, Harter
Easington, Arthur W. Emerson,	Fell (2,000ft. above sea level),
Hon. Secretary	built by George Hodsman
Edmundbyers, Shotley Bridge,	Stainton and Streatham
The Rev. R. Vaughan, Chair-	Steeton
man	Thornley (24ft. high), fired by
Eggleston, Folly Top (1,000ft.	Miss Curry, William Laidler,
above sea level), notified by	Hon. Secretary
the Rev. Beaumont Johnson	Warden Law, Mrs. Gregson's fire
*Hett, John Glear, Hon.	Winlaton-on-Tyne, Herbert W.
Secretary (5 fires seen)	Grace, Chairman
Houghton-le-Spring	

Essex (22 reported).

*Ashingdon, Rochford, Hugh	High Beech
Barnes, Hon. Secretary	Mistley
Barking	Mountressing
Bocking	Ramsden Heath
Brentwood	Rickling, F. S. H. Judd, Hon.
Brentwood, Shenfield Common	Secretary
Chingford	South Benfleet
Chipping Hill	Southend-on-Sea
Dunmow	Stanford-le-Hope, Pickett's Hill
Hainault Forest	(400ft.), (20ft. high), fired by
Harold Wood	Mrs. Worster, C. L. Webster,
Hatfield Heath	Hon. Secretary
Heybridge	Vange Hall Hill
	Witham

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Gloucestershire (*43 reported*).

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| Adlestrop | Leckhampton |
| *Almondsbury (35ft. high), built by R. Theobald, fired by Mrs. MacWatters, F. Biss, Hon. Secretary | Long Ashton, Ashton Hill, J. W. Stagg, Hon. Secretary |
| Apperley | Mangotsfield, Rodway Hill |
| Ashelworth | Meon Hill |
| Beckford | Minchinhampton Common |
| Bibury, Ready John Field (493ft. above sea level), (30ft. to 40ft. high), (Bibury, Coln S Aldazus, Hathways, Querrington, Barnsley, and Winsor), lit by Miss Kathleen G. M. Comely | Misenden, W. Timms, Hon. Secretary |
| Bourton Hill | Newnham, Clay Hill, material provided by R. J. Kerr, fired by Mrs. Kerr, John Dawe, Hon. Secretary |
| Bourton-on-the-Waters | Norton Hill, near Gloucester (27ft. high), lit by Mrs. G. N. Walker, H. C. Bailey, Hon. Secretary |
| Broad Campden | Olveston (20ft. high), built under the direction of C. F. Vowles, from material given by R. Cann Lippincott, C. E. Turner, and J. Kenworthy, fired by Miss Elma Salmon (20 fires were seen), F. Olive, Hon. Secretary |
| Chosen Hill | Painswick |
| Churchdown | Penpole Point |
| Cleeve Prior | Redmarley |
| Coleford | Ruardean |
| Coln, St. Denis | Selsley Common |
| Cooper's Hill | Stinchcombe Hill |
| Cowley | Stonehouse, Leonard Stanley, notified by A. Bonsey |
| Cowley, Birdlip Common (1,000ft. above sea level), 21ft. high (4 or 5 fires seen), G. E. Cook, Hon. Secretary | Stow in the Wold, Wyck Beacon, notified by the Rev. P. H. Kempthorne (37 fires seen) |
| Crickley | Tewkesbury Park |
| Doverow Hill | Winchcombe |
| Dumbleton | Withington |
| Harton and Little Sodbury (30ft. high), 17 fires seen, H. W. L. Harford, Hon. Secretary | Wormington |
| *Knole Cricket Club, built and fired by the Hon. Secretary, H. G. Broad | |

Hampshire (*23 reported*).

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| Alresford | Ashmansworth |
| Andover (30ft. high), F. S. Shaw, Hon. Secretary | Basingstoke, built by Clavell Salter, M.P. |

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

HAMPSHIRE—Continued.

Beacon Hill	Milton
Boldre, Lymington	Newton Valence, Alton
Bourne, St. Mary	Onslebury, Winchester
*Crofton	Otterbourne Hill (250ft. above sea level), (35ft. high), fired by Miss Mary Chamberlayne, E. Dennis, Chairman (8 fires seen)
Droxford (422ft. above sea level), lighted by Boy Scout Bertie Page, John Wiltshire, Hon. Secretary (7 fires seen)	Petersfield, Bulser Hill (900ft. above sea level), H. W. Postgate, Hon. Secretary
Dummer Clump (600ft. above sea level), T. A. Cooper, Hon. Secretary	Shawford Down
Hordean, Chatton Windmill	Stoner Hill (720ft. above sea level), near Froxfield, J. Silvester, Hon. Secretary (9 or 10 fires seen).
Hordle	Yateley
Hursley Park, Winchester	
Lighook, Weaver's Downs	
Lower Faringdon, Berry Hill, wood supplied by Montague Knight, A. Lee, Hon. Secretary	

Herefordshire (*21 reported*).

Birley Hill (700ft. above sea level), Gerald A. Woodgate, Hon. Secretary (22 fires seen)	Kington, Bradnor Hill
Brampton Hill	Knill Garaway (1,450ft. above sea level), notified by Sir John Walsham
Bucknell, Stow Hill	Leintwardine
Canon Frome	Leominster
Croft, Bircher Common	*Longtown, notified by A. Johnston, Hon. Secretary
Eardisland, Sugar Loaf Hill	Ross, Perrystone Hill, built by F. W. Herbert, notified by General Clive (20 fires seen)
Eastnot, Ragged Stone Hill	Rowlstone
Goodrich, Ross	Tedstone Court (550ft. above sea level), built by H. A. Belville
Hampton Court	*Thurlstone (800ft. above sea level), notified by R. A. Goddard
Hereford, Saddlebow Hill (900ft. above sea level), notified by the Rev. R. P. Dansey	Upper Dinmore
Kentchurch, Garway (1,203ft. above sea level), organised by A. S. Wood, notified by the Rev. R. P. Dansey	

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Hertfordshire (*18 reported*).

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| Barnet, Arkley (470ft. above sea level), (30ft. high), notified by W. A. Vaughan | Hemel Hempstead, Roughdown Common |
| Braughing | *Hertford Heath (55ft. high), Gilbert Lyne, Chairman |
| Bushey Heath (14ft. high), built and fired by H. Gwyther, Jones | Hogham Hill |
| Essenden, built by workmen on Mrs. Culling's Estate, material partly provided by Marquis of Salisbury, H. Wilson, Hon. Secretary | Old Hall, Ware, St. Edmund's College, notified by Rev Bernard Ward (8 fires seen) |
| Great Amwell (20ft. high), E. W. Chaplin, Hon. Secretary | Patmore Heath |
| Hadley Green | Radlett |
| Hanbridge Common | *Royston, One Hill, J. Halstead, Hon. Secretary |
| Hatfield | Standon, Ware |
| | Tring, Hill Field (32ft. high), notified by Richardson Carr |
| | Weston, Telegraph Hill (750ft. above sea level), notified by M. R. Prior |

Huntingdonshire (*2 reported*).

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| Kimbolton | level), built by Mr. Banks, notified by J. W. Davey, Hon. Secretary |
| St. Neots, Ward's Hill (between 200ft. and 300ft. above sea | |

Isle of Man (*1 reported*).

- Douglas, built by Boy Scouts

Isle of Wight (*8 reported*).

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| Ashy Down, Ryde | fied by H. Way, A. Spanner, Hon. Secretary |
| Brighstone, Row Down, notified by Miss I. M. Silver, R. Buckett, Jun., Hon. Secretary | Freshwater, Tennyson's Peak, notified by Lord Tennyson |
| Brooke | Landguard Manor |
| Chale, St. Catherine's Down (800ft. above sea level), noti- | Rookley |
| | Shanklin Down |

Kent (*44 reported*).

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| Ashford, Brabourne Downs | *Bayham (33ft. high), built by Lord Camden, notified by C. M. R. Cleaves |
| Ashford, Egerton Hill, notified by Rev. F. Douglas Robinson, Hon. Secretary (6 fires seen) | Beckenham |

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

KENT—Continued.

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| Benenden | Otford Mount |
| Bethersdon, Ashford | Platt |
| *Bexley Heath, built by Messrs.
F. Butler, C. Colvill, Mann,
Knott, Oliver, and Wilkins,
fired by Mrs. Downey, Mrs.
Harston, Mrs. Reid, and Miss
MacDonald, notified by Rev.
F. de Castells | Ramsgate, Cliffs End |
| Borough Green, Crow Hill (40ft.
high), notified by W. A.
Thorne, Hon. Secretary | Rochester (175ft. above sea level),
fired by the four daughters of
the Mayor, notified by A.
Kennette |
| Brasted, Toys Hill, notified by
Owen Fleming | Sevenoaks, Goathurst Common
(600ft. above sea level), noti-
fied by S. Williams |
| Canterbury, Crow's Hill, fired by
the Mayoress | Sheldwick Leys, notified by C.
J. Cooper, H. Jackson, Hon.
Secretary |
| Charing | Shepherdswell |
| Chilham | *Southward Lee (30ft. high)
built by Alderman W. H. Le
May, Chairman |
| Cranbrook | St. Mary's Cray, Kevington Park |
| Cranbrook, Hartley Hill | Thurnham Castle Hill, North
Downs (600ft. above sea level),
notified by M. Hampson,
Chairman |
| Dover, Bay Hill, notified by J.
W. Cavanagh, T. T. Bettridge,
Hon. Secretary | Tonbridge |
| East Peckham | Westgate-on-Sea |
| Faversham, Dunkirk (20ft.
high), notified by Rev. W. J.
Springett | Windmill Hill |
| Grove Park | Woodchurch Ashford, Lane
Field, W. C. Doughty, Hon.
Secretary |
| Hollingbourne Hill | Woolwich, Tudor's Hill |
| Horsmonden, Scott's Tower Hill
(30ft. high), notified by Rev.
H. F. Smith Marriott (17 fires
seen) | Wouldham, Rochester, built by
H. Peters, E. Storey, Hon.
Secretary |
| Hunton, Barn Hill (350ft. above
sea level) (40ft. high), A. L.
Thomas, Hon. Secretary | Wrotham Heath |
| Ightham | Wrotham, Hexy Down (46ft.
high), built by owner of land,
Sir Mark Collet, Bart., notified
by H. F. Capper |
| Kingsdown, Sevenoaks | Upper Hardres, Canterbury, Pear
Tree Farm, built by E. Miles,
Jun. |
| Lamberhurst Downs, notified by
B. Doggett | |
| Markbeece, Hoppers Bank | |

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Lancashire (*52 reported*).

- *Aspull Moor, near Wigan (30ft. high), built by Boy Scouts, fired by L. Athron, notified by R. Armour, Hon. Secretary
- Bacup, Bunkers Hill
- Barrow-in-Furness, notified by L. Hewlett
- Beacon Fell (20ft. high), near Preston, built by Boy Scouts, notified by W. E. Seymour, Hon. Secretary (15 fires seen)
- Billinge Hill, A. Darlington, Hon. Secretary
- Birkenhead, Mersey Park, H. R. Callagan, Hon. Secretary
- Bolton, G. J. French, Hon. Secretary
- Bolton-le-Moors, Great Lever (40ft. high), notified by the Rev. M. Patteson, W. Hardman, Hon. Secretary
- Brathay, Skelwith Fold
- Brightmet Hill (557ft. above sea level), near Bolton, notified by Rev. G. E. Rees
- Brimley
- Bury, Fairground (40ft. high), fired by Councillor Sharp, Chairman, Mrs. Sharp, Councillor and Mrs. Battersby
- Chapelton, Edgworth, Entwistle, and Quarlton; Crowthorne (1,300ft. above sea level), J. Booth and A. E. Bostock, Hon. Secretaries
- Cheetham and Crumpsall, Alms Hill, A. Watkinson, Hon. Secretary
- *Clayton-le-Moors (21ft. high), fired by Mrs. Elce, W. Woodhead, Hon. Secretary (4 fires seen)
- *Clifton, near Manchester (50ft. high), built by Clifton and Kersley Coal Co., notified by J. Lee Wood
- Coniston Old Man (3 acetylene lamp flares)
- Dalton-in-Furness, Mouzell Hill, built by local Committee, J. Tyson, Hon. Secretary
- Deerplay Hill
- Finsthwaite, Gummershow, J. W. Mitchell, Hon. Secretary
- *Grange-over-Sands, Hampsfell Beacon, notified by G. Vickars-Gaskell
- Grange-over-Sands, Yewbarrow, above Witherslack
- *Heysham, fired by Miss Tomlinson, W. D. Elliott, Hon. Secretary
- Holcombe Hill
- Hollins, J. W. Faulkner
- Kersal Moor
- Kirkham, Carr Hill, notified by Rev. Welbury T. Mitton
- Knipe Scar
- Longridge Fell (26ft. high), provided and notified by H. V. Worsley-Taylor
- Lytham, built and notified by A. J. Price
- Mossley, Micklehurst, near Manchester, H. Lawton, Hon. Secretary
- *Newchurch, Seat Naze, (990ft. above sea level) (25ft. high), built by local Committee, notified by M. Mitchell, Hon. Secretary
- Oldham, Henshaw Blue-Coat School (800ft. above sea level), notified by J. Whitmore
- Oldham, J. W. Falkirk, Hon. Secretary
- Orrest Head (7 fires seen)
- Pendle Hill (flare)
- Poulton, Brockholes Hill

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

LANCASHIRE—Continued.

Rivington Pike (1,500ft. above sea level) (flare), notified by Miss D. M. Colman	built by residents, J. Briggs, Hon. Secretary (11 fires seen)
Royton, Tandle Hill	Warrington, Hill Warren (on Mr. Lyon's Estate), notified by J. White
Rusland, near Ulverston, Striceley, J. M. Collinson, Hon. Secretary	Warton Crag, Carnforth, notified by Miss E. T. Wren
Sandside	Whitefield, Mansion House, Lily Hill, near Manchester (50ft. high), built and notified by G. W. Yapp (27 fires seen)
Sawrey	Ulverston, F. W. Poole, Hon. Secretary
Shaw, near Oldham, F. F. Gartside, W. H. Seddon, Hon. Secretaries	Ulverston, Hole Hill
Silverdale, Castlebarrow	*Yealand Conyers, Carnforth, fired by Mr. Ford, T. Proctor, Hon. Secretary
Southport, Ashurst Beacon, notified by Rev. W. H. Skene	
Southport, Parbold Beacon (40ft. high), fired by Mrs. Threlfall,	

Leicestershire (27 reported).

Ab-Kettleby, Melton Mowbray, notified by Rev. J. Pallister	Melton Mowbray
Arthingworth	Mountsorrel Hill, notified by Joseph North
Asfordby	Old John
Billesdon Coplow	Pickwell (700ft. above sea level), notified by Rev. R. C. Giffitt, Hon. Secretary
Bottesford, notified by Rev. Canon V. Jackson, T. G. Lovett, Hon. Secretary (10 fires seen)	Queniborough, notified by Joseph North
Bradgate Park, notified by Joseph North	Ratcliffe College, notified by Joseph North
Breedon Hill	Syston, near Leicester, notified by J. North (12 fires seen)
Burrough Hill	Walton-on-the-Wolds, Loughborough, 32 yards in circumference, high in proportion, fired by schoolgirl, Elsie Green, built by Rev. Montague Bird and helpers
*Charnwood Forest, Beacon Hill	*Whitwick, High Tor Farm (800ft. above sea level), Charnwood Forest, notified by H. W. G. Howe, Hon. Secretary
Clack Hill	Wigston Magna
Croft Hill	
Hinckley	
Hoby, near Leicester, notified by J. F. Grills	
Houghton on the Hill	
Leicester (2)	
Loughborough, Beacon Hill	

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Lincolnshire (*21 reported*).

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| Alford, Miles Cross Hill, fired by E. Higgins and daughter, notified by W. H. Rawnsley, T. N. Loy, Hon. Secretary | Castle Bytham, notified by T. E. C. Dinsdale |
| Alkborough, Hill Top, notified by L. R. Goulton Constable | Cleethorpes |
| Barton-on-Humber, Beacon Hill, notified by W. A. Stow, Hon. Secretary | Gayton-le-Marsh (flare, Church Tower), notified by Rev. H. G. Ker |
| Boston | Hainton, notified by W. T. Elliot, Chairman |
| Boston Spa, Windmill Hill, notified by F. C. Ellis, Hon. Secretary | Horncastle, The Wong, notified by J. Conway Walters |
| Bourne, notified by Mr. Tom Hall | Mablethorpe |
| Burton-upon-Stather Hill (210ft. above sea level), Doncaster, notified by Rev. Canon F. A. Jarvis, Hon. Ian Campbell, Hon. Secretary | Scremby, notified by E. D. Newman |
| Burton, Waterloo Clump | Spanby Hill (200ft. above sea level), fired and notified by W. A. Cragg |
| Cadwell, notified by Mrs. Pellew | Walesby, notified by Rev. L. B. Laurence, Hon. Secretary (10 fires seen) |
| Caistor, notified by Walter Fagan | Whitton, Stone Quarry Top, notified by L. R. Goulton Constable |
| | Wragby, Boy Scouts helped in the building, notified by Lady Mary Turner (7 fires seen) |

Middlesex (*16 reported*).

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| Acton, North Acton (30ft. high), built by Mr. C. J. Yorath, notified by J. F. Shillaker (7 fires seen) | Hampstead Heath |
| Blackheath | Hanger Hill (over 30ft.) high |
| Brockley Hill | Harrow Weald, notified by Rev. W. H. Peers |
| Dulwich and Sydenham Golf Course | Honor Oak |
| Eaglesfield, Shooters Hill | Lewisham |
| Ealing Common | Pinner Hill |
| Farthing Downs, Cane Hill | St. John Palmer's Green Cricket Club |
| | Streatham Common |
| | Winchmore Hill, Club Ground |

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Norfolk (*21 reported*).

Attleborough, notified by A. Dutton, Chairman	Hongingham
Aylsham	Hunstanton
Beeston Hill	Hunstanton, St. Edmund's Point
Bungay, Hill Top	Lynn
Cromer	Mousehold Heath
Croxton (on Mr. W. D. Mackenzie's estate at his expense), notified by Mr. R. Meade	Newton Flotnam
Docking	Norwich
Elmham	*Old Buckenham, notified by H. Anderson, Hon. Secretary (4 fires seen)
Gayton	Sheringham
Holt	Watton
	Woodbastwick

Northamptonshire (*36 reported*).

*Apethorpe (36ft. high), on Mr. Leonard Brassey's Estate, notified by G. Wilson	Grendon
Benefield	Helidon, Daventry
Brackley	Ischester
Brampton Ash	Istham
Catesby	Kettering
Chelvestor	Long Buckley
Colly Weston, Stamford (over 300ft. above sea level), notified by Rev. W. Mc.Carthy (3 fires seen)	Naseby
Cosgrove	Nassington
Earls Barton	Newnham Hill
Easton, Stamford	Oundle
Ecton	Piddington
Fydon	Pilton
Flore, Weedon	Spethorpe
Geddington	Spratton, built by Fire Brigade, notified by G. J. Voss, Hon. Secretary (14 fires seen)
Grafton Regis	Stamford, notified by C. Atter, Hon. Secretary
Grantham, Black Firs Hill, Denton Manor Park (30ft. high), built by Sir Charles G. E. Welby, Bart., C.B., notified by J. Maltby	Stanwick
	Stoke Bruern
	Sywell
	Thrapston
	Towcester

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Northumberland (*18 reported*).

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| Allendale | *Plashetts, North Tyne (on Duke of Northumberland's estate) |
| Allendale, Parmontley Hill | (30ft. high), notified by W. Macreadie, Hon. Secretary |
| Alnwick, Brizlee Hill, notified by L. R. Pym | Ponteland, Berwick Hill, notified by Rev. F. W. Langton |
| Alnwick Castle (flare) | Ponteland, Milbourne, notified by Rev. F. W. Langton |
| Catton Beacon, Allendale | Riding Mill-on-Tyne, notified by Miss F. Wilson |
| Corbridge Fell, built and notified by A. D. Ker | Shields |
| Felton | Wallsend |
| *Fourstones, Warden Hill, notified by Mr. J. Bambrough | Wark-on-Tyne, Pasture House Hill, notified by R. Shortridge, Hon. Secretary |
| Kildhope Hill | |
| Milfield Hill, near Alnwick, notified by G. Grey | |
| *Newcastle, Cow Hill | |

Nottinghamshire (*16 reported*).

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| Bingham | Lowdham |
| Bramcote, built by village carpenter, notified by Mrs. Smith | Mansfield |
| Chilwell, notified by A. Metheringham, Chairman | Mansfield, Woodhouse |
| East Bridgford, Trent Hills notified by A. D. Hill, Chairman | Measley |
| Huthwaite | Newark |
| Ilkeston | Nottingham |
| Louth Hill | Serlby Ruins (flare), on the estate of Viscount Galway, notified by F. F. Parkin (8 fires were seen) |
| | Sutton, Coxmoor |
| | Whitwell |

Oxfordshire (*19 reported*).

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| Alvescot, notified by A. H. Butler, Hon. Secretary | Henley-on-Thames, Fawley Court (between 40ft. and 50ft. high), on W. Dalziel Mackenzie's estate, and notified by him |
| Caversham | |
| Charlbury | |
| Chastleton | |
| Chipping Norton | Ipsden, Warren Hill, on Mr. Hartnoll's Farm, and notified by him |
| Gray's Pond Clumps | |
| Headington | Islip |

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

OXFORDSHIRE—Continued.

Kirklington	Sibford Ferris
Lewknor, Beacon Hill	Wattington, Chilterns
Nettlebed, Windmill Hill	Witney
Shenton Hill	Woodstock
Shipton-under-Wychwood	

Rutlandshire (*7 reported*).

Ayston	Oakham
Bursley-on-the-hill	*Stoke Dry, Uppingham (20ft. high), notified by Rev. G. Thurston
Exton	Whissendene
Hambleton	

Shropshire (*34 reported*).

*Acton Burnell (on hill 800ft. above sea level), (45ft. high), on Sir Walter Smythe's estate, built by E. Post (22 fires seen)	Llantmynech Hill
Bishops Castle	Ludlow, Whitcliffe Hill
Bridgnorth, High Rock	Madeley
Broseley	Meadow-Pit Mount
Caer Caradoc	Much Wenlock, Tickwood Hill, notified by G. G. P. Heywood
Church Stretton	Much Wenlock, Windmill Hill, notified by G. G. P. Heywood
Cleodwry Mortimer	Oswestry, Race Course Hill
Clun, Rock Hill	Pontesbury
Corra, organised by Captain H. Heywood on his Lonsdale Cloverley estate, notified by A. P. Percy	Shrewsbury
Dawley	The Stiperstone
Egmont, Newport	Upton Magna, Haughmond Hill
Forton, Sutton Hill	Weston, on Lord Bradford's estate (28ft. high), notified by the Countess of Bradford, Mr. Thomas, Hon. Secretary (14 fires seen)
Great Ness	Weston Shipnal
Highley (372ft. above sea level), 25ft. high, notified by W. Cole, Jun., Hon. Secretary	Whinted Old Hall, notified by A. P. Spencer
Kemberton	Whitchurch, Grins Hill, notified by A. P. Spencer
Kinlet, Knowle Hill (760ft. above sea level), on Mrs Childe's estate, fired by Mrs. Childe, notified by S. Smith, J. Smith, Hon. Secretary (30 fires seen)	Whitchurch, Jubilee Park, built by Mr. E. Jones, notified by A. P. Spencer
Knowleton	Wrekin, built by Lord Barnard (on portion of hill belonging to him), notified by B. Carver

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Somerset (45 reported).

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| Adcombe Hill, Blackdown Range | Flax Bourton, Backwell Hill |
| Bath, Bannerdown | (600ft. above sea level), notified |
| Bathford | by A. R. Robinson |
| Brent Knoll, fired by Miss Brain, | Glastonbury |
| Hon. Treasurer, notified by J. | Haddon Hill |
| W. Papillon, F. Body, Hon. | Hatch Beauchamp, Hestcombe |
| Secretary (39 fires seen) | Hill, notified by T. Hunter, |
| Bridgwater, Cannington Park | Hon. Secretary (60 fires seen) |
| Beacon, notified by A. Berry, | Hockworthy, Chimney Down |
| Chairman | Langport |
| Bristol, Newton Park (Earl | Limpley Stoke, Bath |
| Temple's estate), notified by | Martock, notified by Rev. E. |
| Rev. P. L. Bagley (41 fires | Harrison |
| seen) | Nunney, Frome, notified by C. |
| Brushford, Hulverton Hill, noti- | Mann, Hon. Secretary |
| fied by R. Hodge, Hon. | Pickeridge Hill |
| Secretary | Pitney |
| Buckland Hill, Chard | Quantocks |
| Burrowbridge, Bridgwater, noti- | Shepton Mallet, Malsbury Ring |
| fied by the Vicar (38 fires seen) | *Taunton, Georges (23ft. high), |
| Cheddington | built on his own estate and |
| Collard Point, Street | notified by E. Clatworthy |
| Combe Down | Thornhill Clump |
| Congersbury, Cadbury Hill, | Wedmore |
| notified by Rev. R. H. M. | Wellington, Wellington Monu- |
| Eyre, Chairman | ment Hill, notified by E. Lee |
| Corton, Denham Beacon, Rev. | Mitchell |
| A. B. Portman, Hon. Secretary | West Coker, Yeovil, notified by |
| (50 fires seen) | Rev. L. R. Cotter |
| Cuckfield | West Monkton (lighted early in |
| Culmstock Beacon | the day by mischievous person), |
| Dunster, Dunkery Beacon (40ft. | notified by Miss M. Meade- |
| high), built by Local Com- | King |
| mittee, fired by Miss Winifred | Weston-super-Mare, fired by |
| Bouverie, notified by W. J. | daughter of J. Jackson |
| Forey, Hon. Secretary (25 | Barstow, notified by J. J. |
| fires seen) | Leaver, Hon. Secretary |
| East Chinnock, near Yeovil, | Winscombe, Wavering Down, |
| notified by the Rev. J. D. D. | notified by J. Amesbury, Hon. |
| Keiler (20 fires seen) | Secretary |
| East Coker, Yeovil, Birt's Hill, | Winsford Hill |
| on Mrs. Heneage's estate, | |
| notified by M. Dickinson | |

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

SOMERSET—Continued.

Withycombe, Fire Beacon Hill, built by Boy Scouts (25ft. high) (4 fires seen)	Wraxall Hill
Wivelscombe	Yeovil, Kingsdon Hill, notified by A. R. Graham

Staffordshire (38 *reported*).

Barr Beacon	Lichfield with Aldershaw, Hare- hurst Hill (40ft. high), noti- fied by H. H. Brown, Hon. Secretary (20 fires seen)
Bilston	Lichfield, Beacon Hill
Brewood	Longton
Brierley Hill, notified by Rev. W. V. B. Morris	Madeley
Brownhills	Newcastle-under-Lyme, Maer
Cadsall Wood	Penn Fields
Cheadle	Rangemore, organised by Dowager Lady Burton, W. Bennett, Hon. Secretary
Colton, The Marthin	Rugeley
Crewe	Sedgley Beacon, notified by W. A. Foster
Denstone College, W. S. Airy, Hon. Secretary	Shobnall, Sinai Hill
Endon	Smethwick
Fradeswell	South Staffordshire Waterworks, Burton
Hanley	*Stoke-on-Trent, built by Boy Scouts, fuel given by H. J. Warrington, notified by W. N. G. Stocker, Hon. Secretary
Honington	Swinscoe (1,050ft. above sea level), built by villagers, Miss M. Young, Hon. Secretary, notified by H. G. Okeover
Leek, Gun, notified by H. Henshaw	Tamworth
„ Artillery Headquarters, 3rd Staffs. Battery R.F.A., Leek, B. Nicholson, Hon. Secre- tary, notified by H. Henshaw	Tettenhall
„ Hillswood, built by Boy Scouts, notified by H. Henshaw	Uttoxeter
„ Kniveden, built by Boy Scouts, notified by H. Henshaw (16 fires seen)	Waterloo Mount
„ Stanlow, notified by H. Henshaw	Wickley

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Suffolk (19 *reported*).

Aldeburgh	Leiston
Beccles	Lowestoft
Bramford, near Ipswich, notified by C. H. Shipston, Hon. Secretary	Mendham
Bungay	Mildenham
Burstall	Plymton
Felixstowe	Saxmundham
Framlingham	Shelley, Hadleigh, notified by Miss A. de la Court
Hopton	Thurlow
Laxfield	Wortham, Long Green, notified by Mrs. E. Fearon, C. Rash, Hon. Secretary
Layer Breton Common	

Surrey (35 *reported*).

Albury and Chilworth, The Pilgrim's Way, notified by F. Williams Wynn	Holmbury St. Mary, Dorking, Holmbury Hill, notified by R. W. Peacock, Hon. Secretary
Badshot Lea, Shepherd King, Hon. Secretary	Holmwood Common (390ft. above sea level) (20ft. high), built by Captain Ayrton and Mr. T. Risbridger, notified by S. D. Secretan, Hon. Secretary (5 fires seen)
Banstead	Leatherhead
Bourne, Farnham	Mitcham
Caterham, Old Pilgrim's Way	*New Malden, Beverley Park, fired by Miss K. Mursell, notified by J. W. Johnson, Hon. General Secretary
Cobham, notified by W. H. Leuchars	North Wallington, Beddington Corner
Croydon, Duppas Hill (70ft. high), built on instructions from Mr. E. F. Morgan, and under Mr. H. Martin's super- intendence	Ockley, Oakwood Hill
Ewhurst, Pitch Hill	Pyrford, near Woking, notified by Rev. J. F. Osborne
Frensham, fired by Lady Constance Combe, notified by R. Combe, Hon. Secretary, Commander T. Biscoe, R.N. (12 fires seen)	Red-Hill Common
Frimby, Chobham Ridges, noti- fied by Rev. M. Robbins	Reigate Hill
Godalming	Rivershill
Guildford, Merrow Downs, notified by the Earl of Onslow	Runfold, near Farnham, Shep- herd King, Hon. Secretary
Haslemere, Blackdown, notified by Lord Tennyson	Sanderstead (550ft. above sea level), South Croydon, notified by S. Bowman
Hindhead, Gibbet Hill	Shere

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

SURREY—Continued.

South Wallington, Woodcote Road	built and notified by Dr. H. M. Chester (6 fires seen)
*Sutton, Rose Hill (50ft. high), built of material chiefly given by Messrs. Brock & Co., under the superintendence of Mr. W. Hedley, fired by Mrs. H. W. Turner	West Cobham, High Curley Hill, notified by Rev. M. Robbins
Tongham, Hog's Back (450ft. above sea level), Poyle Park,	Wimbledon Common
	Wisby, near Ripley, notified by Rev. J. F. Osborne
	Wynhurst, Cranleigh

Sussex (97 reported).

Aldrington Beach, Hove, organised by the Mayor	Crowborough Beacon
Amberley Mount, organised by L. Harrison	Cuckfield Park, C. Hobson and E. E. Morfee
Barcombe, Crink Field, Rev. C. Toogood, Hon. Secretary	Dallington, organised by W. J. Peploe
Battle, Caldbec Hill	Denton, Mount Pleasant, A. E. Hughes, Hon. Secretary
Bexhill, A. B. Lawson, Hon. Secretary	Ditchling Beacon (813ft. above sea level), organised by Mrs. Lane
Billinghurst	Eartham, Long Down (30ft high), organised and notified by W. B. M. Bird
Bishopstone, Rookery Hill, organised by A. Cooper	Eastbourne, back of Paradise, A. E. V. Dennis, Hon. Secretary
Blackboys, organised by T. Farrow	East Dean, Halnaker Hill, organised by Hussey Freke
Brede, G. H. Harvey, Hon. Secretary	East Grinstead
Brightling	Fairlight Down, North's Seat, A. F. Wood, Chairman
Brighton, Race Hill, organised by H. Talbot	Firle Beacon (718ft. above sea level), organised by local Committee
Burwash, organised by W. Bennett	Fletching, G. Fenner, Hon. Secretary
Bury Hill, organised by the Duke of Norfolk, K.G. (Col. Mostyn, Steward)	Flimwell Hill, organised by Viscount Goschen
Buxted, organised by the local Committee	Frant Common, W. H. Bassett, Hon. Secretary
Chailey, North Common, A. Philpot, Hon. Secretary	Fulking Hill, organised by local Committee
Cophatch, Rusper, organised by W. Martin	
Cowfold, organised by H. C. Leister	

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

SUSSEX—Continued.

- Glynde, Mount Caburn, organised by Admiral, the Hon. T. S. Brand, R.N.
- Hadlow Down, A. E. Smith, Hon. Secretary
- Halland, organised by Rev. H. Harbord
- Hartfield, Castle Mound, built by boys and staff, Windlesham House, Brighton, one man and some village boys (all Boy Scouts) (18ft. high), heard signal rocket from Crystal Palace
- Harting, West Harting Down (708ft. above sea level), 35ft., organised and notified by C. J. P. Cave
- Hastings, Baldslow Mill, notified by H. R. Stevens, Hon. Secretary
- Hastings, West Hill, organised by Borough of Hastings
- Heathfield, organised by G. H. B. Peters
- Henfield, organised by local Committee
- Hurstpierpoint, Danny, notified by P. W. Scott
- Jarvis Brook, Chapel Green (700ft. above sea level), (46ft. high), W. Troy, Chairman
- Lancing Clump, organised by W. Philips
- Lavington, Teglease Beacon (837ft. above sea level), organised by J. Buchanan
- Leonardslee, Pring's Hill, organised by Sir Edmund Loder, Bart., F. D. Godman, etc.
- Lewes Race Hill, organised by Lewes Borough (M. S. Blaker, Town Clerk)
- Linch Ball (818ft. above sea level), organised by Lord Cowdray, H. Freke, Steward
- Little Beding
- Little Common, E. Card, Hon. Secretary
- Lower Beeding, Holmbush, organised by Colonel Clifton Brown
- Lurgashall, Blackdown Hill, organised by Lady Philipson Stow
- Madehurst, Fore Hill, organised by C. J. Fletcher
- Mark Cross, organised by local Committee
- Mark Cross, organised by Rev. J. Price
- Mayfield, Five Ashes, organised by local Committee
- Midhurst Common, C. Spring, Hon. Secretary
- Mountfield, John's Cross, organised by H. K. Bracewell, Hon. Secretary
- Mount Harry (639ft. above sea level), E. C. Knight, Hon. Secretary
- Newhaven, Beacon Hill, J. J. Lines, Hon. Secretary
- Newhaven, Rushey Hill
- Newick, organised by local Committee
- Old Erringham, Shoreham, organised by A. W. Nye
- Pett, W. Colgate, Hon. Secretary
- Petworth Park, organised by Lord Leconfield (— Watson, Agent)
- Pevensey, Recreation Ground, notified by G. Penfold, Hon. Secretary

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

SUSSEX—Continued.

- *Pulborough, Beedings (360ft. above sea level), fire on platform on house turret, secondary fires on other turrets, built, fired, and notified by J. Hartry, owner of house
- Pulborough, H. Sandilands, Hon. Secretary
- Rodwell, Mill Hill, organised by C. Groves
- Rottingdean, Beacon Hill, R. Biffen, Hon. Secretary
- Rye Hill, organised by the Town Clerk, W. Dawes
- Seaford Head, organised by local Committee
- Sedlescombe, J. Byner, Hon. Secretary
- Selsey Bill, J. Fisher, Hon. Secretary
- *Sharpenhurst Hill, organised by Rev. Dr. Upcott, built by Christ's Hospital boys (3 fires seen)
- Sidlesham, W. J. Ide, Hon. Secretary
- Slinford, Hayes Hill, T. Knight, Assistant Secretary
- South Downs
- Southwick
- Steyning Round Hill, H. E. Oliver, Hon. Secretary
- St. Leonards, L. J. Boorman, Hon. Secretary
- Telscombe, organised by C. Beard, notified by A. Gorham (20 fires seen)
- The Trundle (677ft. above sea level), organised by the Duke of Richmond and Gordon, K.G., H. Freke, Steward
- Ticehurst, organised by Dr. Newington
- Uckfield, G. E. Hart, Hon. Secretary
- Wadhurst Beckley, Best Beech Hill, Mrs. Pearson and H. Forbes-Bentley, Hon. Secretaries
- Waldron, Cross-in-Hand, M. H. Kenward, Hon. Secretary
- Warnham, organised by Sir Henry Harben
- Warninglid Beacon, organised by J. J. Lister
- Washington, Highden Down (667ft. above sea level), organised by Major-General R. T. Godman
- West Dean, Seaford, organised by J. G. Burgess
- West Dean, Bow Hill (624ft. above sea level), organised by the Duke of Richmond and Gordon, K.G.
- Westfield Downs, organised by local Committee
- West Hoathly, Bow Field, Mr. Cockshott, Hon. Secretary
- Windmill Hill Beacon, organised by H. Curteis
- Wiston Hill (688ft. above sea level), organised by C. Goring
- Wolstonbury (600ft. above sea level), organised by Campion, C.B.

Warwickshire (38 reported).

- Alcester
- Anstey
- Atherstone, notified by Mr. C. B. Coxon
- Beaudesert Hill
- Bidford-on-Avon, Marriage Hill, notified by G. H. Fosbrooke, Chairman (14 fires seen)

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

WARWICKSHIRE—Continued.

Bradford-on-Avon, notified by W. C. Dotesio, Hon. Secretary	Itchington, Castle Hill
Brailes	Kineton
Brinklow	Leamington
Brow Top	Lighthome
Campion Hill	Napton
Coleshill	Rodborough
Colliers Oak, Fillongley	Rugby
Cookhill	Shipston-on-Stour, Whichford Hill (780ft. above sea level), notified by Rev. T. D. Raikes
Coventry	Southam
Dunchurch	Sutton Coalfield
Edge Hill, Radwray	Switterfield
Great Ahne	Tachbrook
Hatton, Warwick, notified by W. S. Shreeve, Hon. Secretary	Tysoe
Henley-in-Arden	Upper Shuckingham, Beacon Hill
High Ash	Yardley
Hunningham	Yarningdale Hill
Ilmington	

Westmorland (24 reported).

*Ambleside, Loughrigg Fell (25ft. high), partly built by Boy Scouts, notified by W. L. Mason and W. Hogg, Hon. Secretaries, fired by Scout-Master Huddleston	Grasmere, Silver How, built by Messrs. J. Davidson and W. Hall, fired by Mr. Fuller, Chairman
Appleby, Gallows Hill, notified by W. Hewitson, Hon. Secretary	*Heversham Head, notified by Miss Watson
Beathwaite Green, notified by W. C. Slingsby	Hilbeck and Brough Kaber
Brough, Fox Tower, fired by Mr. Ward, Hon. Secretary, notified by J. G. Reynoldson	Kirkby Stephen, Hartley Birkett, notified by W. W. Hallam and C. Hanker, Hon. Secretaries
Brough, Malplaquet, fired and notified by J. G. Reynoldson,	Kirkby Stephen, Victoria Park
Brough Sowerby	*Milnthorpe, Haverbrack Bank (over 359ft. above sea level) (35ft. high), on St. Maurice Bromley-Wilson's estate, noti- fied by L. Nanson (9 fires seen)
Crosby Garret	Milnthorpe, Haverbrack Beacon, notified by E. L. D Mc.Naughton, Hon. Sec.
Dufton Pike, notified by C. Liddle, Hon. Secretary	

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

WESTMORLAND—Continued.

Orton Scar	Warcop, Fair Hill, Brough
Shap, Hardendale Nab, fired by	Hill, notified by J. Longstaff,
G. L. Toppin, notified by J.	Hon. Secretary
Rosterne, Hon. Secretary	Whinfell, near Kendal
Sleagill	Whitbarrow Fell (20ft. high),
Undermillbeck, Windermere,	notified by W. C. Slingsby,
notified by Sir James Scott	Winster, notified by the Rev. E.
Warcop	H. Cock

Wiltshire (34 reported).

Aldersholt, Salisbury, King	Hinton Parva, Shalborough Hill
Barrow, notified by Rev. J. R	Kingsclere
Sanderson, Chairman	Lyddington, Beacon Hill
Bishopstone	Lyddington Castle (20ft. high),
Bishopstone, Folly Banks, near	Major J. Cecil Wilson, Hon.
Swindon, fired by J. Povey,	Secretary (20—30 fires seen)
notified by Mrs. Hedges, W.	Lydiard Millicent
Moore, Hon. Secretary	Market Lavington
Bishopstrow, Warminster,	*Marlborough, notified by R.
Battlesbury Hill, built by	Mc. G. Diamond
the Hon. R. Holmes à Court,	Mere, Castle Hill
Hon. Secretary, fired by Mrs.	Pavenhill, Purton
Erskine, notified by Rev. G.	Radbourne Cheney
Atwood	Salisbury, Barfold Down, noti-
*Bremhill	fied by Rev. A. Cecil Dixon
Burcombe, Punchbowl	Salisbury, Cholderton
*Calne, Oldbury Castle (827ft.	Salisbury, Harnham Hill (40ft.
above sea level), (38ft. high).	high), fired by the Mayor, W
built by the Marquis of	E. M. George, Hon. Secretary
Lansdowne and Major Hene-	Salisbury, Hill Crest
age, notified by Rev. S.	Salisbury Plain, Beacon Hill
Firman	Seend, Melksham, notified by A.
Clyffe Pypard, notified by E.	Schomberg
Mitchard and F. E. Watts,	Urchfont (700ft. above sea
Hon. Secretaries (26 fires seen)	level), Devizes, fired by Mrs.
Codford, Claypit Hill, Chitterne	Nutland, notified by Rev. Dr.
(586ft. above sea level), fired	J. Hamlyn Hill (40 fires seen)
and notified by Rev. J. T.	Warminster
Canner	"White Horse," Bratton Hills
Codforth, The Clump	Wylze, fired and notified by
Colerne, notified by J. Wilson,	Rev. G. R. Hadow (14 fires
Hon. Secretary	seen)
Conley, Cley Hill	
East Knoyle	
Garsdon, Malmesbury	

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Worcestershire (40 reported).

Abberley Hill	Hanbury
Abberton	Hanbury, Park Hill
Beoley	Inkberrow
Birlingham	Kidderminster
Blockley	*Malvern Beacon
Bredon Hill	Martley
Bredon Norton	Mucklows Hill
Bricklehampton	Norton-Lenchwick
Broadway (1,045ft. above sea level) (30ft. high), F. Morgan, Chairman, H. Gill, Hon. Secretary	*Oldbury, Bury Hill Park (40ft. high)
*Bromsgrove (30ft. high), notified by F. G. Maylett, Hon. Secretary	Paxford
Buckland Hill, Cotswolds	Redditch
Churchill, near Kidderminster, fired by Mrs. Trow, notified by Rev. H. L. T. Sculthorpe (12 fires seen)	Rounds Green
Cookhill	Shenberrow, Cotswolds, notified by P. J. Pelly (10 fires seen)
Dudley	Shipston-on-Stour
Enville	Stoke Prior
Evesham, Cleeve Prior Hill, notified by H. G. Hiorns, Miss Holtom, Hon. Secretary (21 fires seen)	Stourbridge, Clent Hill (1,000ft. above sea level), (30ft. high), built by Lord Cobham's head-woodman, Lord Cobham Chairman, notified by J. Amphlett and J. Rawson Hon. Secretary
Feckenham	The Lickey
*Franch Hall, Kidderminster	Tividale near Dudley
Frankley	Witley, Woodbury Hill (900ft. above sea level), (26ft. high), built under direction of Mr. J. B. Braid (Lord Dudley's forester), notified by Rev. R. A. Wilson, C. H. Bartlett, Hon. Secretary (30 fires seen)
Hampton Charles and Bockleton, Bockleton Grove, built by Mr. Prescott's woodmen, notified by F. E. Prescott (23 fires seen)	Wood Norton

Yorkshire (163 reported).

Abberley	Atherton Moor
Ampleforth, Beacon Hill	Baildon, Hope Hill
Ampleforth, College Grounds	*Bramham Moor, F. C. Ellis, Hon. Secretary
Ardsley, A Wollerton, Hon. Secretary	

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- Brandsby
Barnsby, Ton Yat Field
Barnsley, Queen's Ground, J. H. Taylor, Hon. Secretary
Beverley and Little Weighton, Hunsley Beacon, built by G. P. Kellington, C. Lacy and the Rev. L. D. Hildyard, Hon. Secretaries
Brandsby-cum-Stearsley, Snaregate Hill (21ft. to 30ft. round and high in proportion), built by H. Cattling and S. Frank, Hon. Secretary, lit by Mrs. Fairfax Cholmeley (many old beacon fires seen)
Caulkless, Stonegrave
Cawthorne, Bentcliffe Hill (18ft. to 20ft. high), John F. Falnasser, Hon. Secretary (5 or 6 fires seen)
Charles Metcalfe's field, near Boonhill, Newton
Cleasby, Cleasby Hill
Cooper Moor Hill, Cloughton
Cowesby, Bell's Intake, T. E. Parkinson, Hon. Secretary
Crake, Easingwold, Castle Hill, notified by C. Watson
Craven Arms, Nurdy Bank, the Rev. A. J. Knapton, Hon. Secretary
Crompton, Woolmer Hill, F. F. Gartside, and W. H. Seddon, Hon. Secretaries
*Cudworth (30ft. high), John Mason, Hon. Secretary (12 fires seen)
Dacre Banks and Hartwith-cum-Winsley, Beacon Rock, Brimham Rocks, J. S. Garside and F. M. Bond, Hon. Secretaries
Danby Beacon
Darrington, Went Hill, James Gardner, Hon. Secretary
Drighlington Moor, notified by the Vicar of Drighlington
Easby Moor
Easington, Rawcliffe Beacon
East Harsley, Westfield, notified by the Rev. C. V. Collier
Ellergate Hill, Lealholm
Eston Nab, Eston
Fadmoor, Village Green
Feather Hill Farm, Scorton
Flamborough, L. M. Bailey, Hon. Secretary
Flowson, Skelton-in-Cleveland
*Gargrave, fired by Lady Wilson, notified by J. Broughton
Gayles, Gayles Moor
Giggleswick
Gilling, Scaur Hill
Gisburn
Glaisdale, Parliament Hill
Glusburn, J. D. Horsfall, Hon. Secretary
*Grassington, Beacon Hill, fired by the Rev. B. J. Harker, Joseph Crowther, Chairman
Great Ayton, Captain Cook's Monument, Waynman Dixon, Chairman
Great Smeaton (on Col. Godman's estate), notified by Rev. P. E. Wrench
Great Smeaton, Pond Field, Home Farm (Col. Godman's Estate), notified by the Rev. P. E. Wrench
Greenfield, Pots and Pans (50ft. to 60ft. high), notified by Benjamin Dransfield

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- *Greetland, The Mount (12ft. high), F. J. Mallinson, Hon. Secretary
Grosmont, Slag Tip
Gringley-on-the-hill, near Doncaster
Gristhorpe, notified by R. Hallowes
Hackness, notified by Miss Janet E. Leute
Halifax
Hawker
Heckmondwike, Cawley Hill, Charles Lister, Hon. Secretary
Hedley Hope, built by school children, and fired by oldest boy and girl in elementary school, G. Tallentire, Hon. Secretary
High Abbotside, Staggsfell Crag
Hinderwell, Beacon Hill
Holme-on-Spalding Moor, Beacon Hill (on Mrs. Harford's Estate)
Holmfrith
Holgate, notified by the Rev. H. Howlett
Holwick, Castle Hill
Honley, John Thornton, Hon. Secretary
Houston Hill, Skelton
Hovingham, Stocking Hill
Huddersfield, Clayton West, and High Hoyland, W. Sheard, Hon. Secretary
Hutton-le-Hole, Village Green
Hutton Rudby, Village Green
Ingleby Arncliffe, notified by the Rev. C. V. Collier (26 fires seen)
Ingleborough (Clapham and Ingleton), H. Harrison, Hon. Secretary
*Ingleby-Greenhow (22ft. high), material provided by Lord De L'Isle and Dudley, P. Huntingdon, Hon. Secretary
Ingleby, Park Nab
Kildale, Park Nab
Kirby Sigston, Beacon Hill
Kirkbymoorside, Vivers Hill
Kirkheaton, Roundabout, notified by J. Wood, Hon. Secretary
Kirkleatham, Yearby Bank
Kirkheaton
Kirklington, organised by F. Parker (5 fires seen)
Lastingham, Lidster Hill
Lease Rigg, Egton, Nanny Cooper's Hill
Longpreston, W. Ward, Hon. Secretary
Lunedale, Arthur Fell
Lythe, Blue Bank
Malling
Marton-cum-Grafton, Grafton Hill, C. K. Peacock, Hon. Secretary
Marton-in-Craven, Whitecroft (650ft. above sea level), J. J. Thistlethwaite, Hon. Secretary
Masham, Nutwith Common
Melsonby, Keenleyside Field
Meltham, Cop Hill, W. R. Carter, Hon. Secretary
*Middlestown and Overton (42ft. high), Charles Young, Hon. Secretary
Middleton, notified by F. Entwistle

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| Milnsbridge, Crosland Hill, W
J. Firth, Hon. Secretary | Redmire, Redmire Scaur
Richmond |
| Morley, F. Thackeray, Hon.
Secretary | Ronaldkirk, Low Green |
| Mulgrave, Lythe, Tommy Yatts | Royton, near Oldham, Ellis
Harrison and H. Broadhurst,
Hon. Secretaries |
| Nawton, Kirkdale Manor | Ruston, Wykeham |
| Nether Thong, Wolfstones
Height, notified by H. Mellor | *Saltburn-by-the-Sea, Hob Hill
(33ft. high), R. Wood, Jun.,
and J. Draper, Hon. Secretaries
(3 fires seen) |
| Newton-upon-Rawcliffe (650ft.
above sea level), near Picker-
ing, the Rev. D. C. Jones,
Hon. Secretary | Seamer, Seamer Moor Beacon |
| Norland, near Sowerby Bridge,
Nathaniel Binns, Hon.
Secretary | Sedbergh, Firbank, Chairman,
C. W. Good |
| Normanby Hill, Rev. E. H.
M. Jenkins, Hon. Secretary | Sedbergh, Middleton Fell, noti-
fied by C. W. Good, Chairman |
| North Newbald, Dot Hill, noti-
fied by the Rev. A. E. Shaw | Sedbergh, Winder, C. W. Good,
Chairman |
| Nunnington, Cauksleys Hill | Sheffield (4 bonfires), notified by
R. M. Prescott |
| Osmotherley, Spion Kop | Shepley, Nabscliffe (1,000ft.
above sea level), (30ft. high),
built by Henry Senior, Henry
Tyas, Hon. Secretary (40 fires
seen) |
| Pateley Bridge | Silsden, A. Haworth, Hon.
Secretary |
| Pateley Bridge, Coldstones Hill,
Greenhow Hill, fired by oldest
man in the village, J. Storey,
notified by the Rev. G. W.
Elwell | Sinnington |
| Penhill, near Middleton | Sittenham, Ash Bank |
| Penny How, near Whitby | Skipton |
| Pickering, Beacon Hill | Skipton-in-Craven, Rylestone
Fell, notified by G. E. Maude |
| Pickering Knoll, Hovington | Sleights, R. Bell, Chairman |
| Pontefract, Park Hill (286ft.
above sea level), G. Spurr,
Hon. Secretary | Sneaton |
| *Pudsey, Greentop (27ft. high),
fired by R. Hodgson, con-
structed and notified by the
builder, W. H. Shackleton | *Solberge, Newby Wiske (Mr.
Hutton's fire), notified by J.
Hutton |
| Rastrick, Round Hill, notified
by H. Travis Clay | South Cowton, Attley Hill |
| Ravenscar, Staintondale, Cragg
Hill | Springhead, Stonebreak Hill
(850ft. above sea level), Frank
Bullivant, Hon. Secretary |

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YORKSHIRE—Continued.

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| <p>*Stainborough, Barnsley</p> <p>Stainforth, near Settle, Winskill Scar, W. Mosley Perfect, Hon. Secretary (5 fires seen)</p> <p>Staveley, Knaresboro, I. For- man, Hon. Secretary</p> <p>Steeton</p> <p>Streatlam and Stainton, F. W. Judson, Hon. Secretary</p> <p>Suffield-cum-Everley, Suffield Beacon</p> <p>Swinton, Rotherham, built by Boy Scouts, T. E. Rogers, Hon. Secretary</p> <p>Terrington, Pinfold Hill, noti- fied by T. J. Kinnear (10 fires seen)</p> <p>Thackley (600ft. above sea level), Bradford (40ft. high), fired by Alderman R. Johnson, E. Whitfield, Hon. Secretary</p> <p>Thirsk</p> <p>Thorner, Kirk Hills, A. Midge- ley, Hon. Secretary</p> <p>Thornton Dale, Lime Kilns</p> <p>Tickhill, Willow Field, near Rotherham, T. Dixon, Hon. Secretary</p> <p>Ugthorpe, Loose Howe, notified by R. Dobson (3 fires seen)</p> <p>*Wakefield, Sandal Hill (40ft. high), built under supervision of Mr. E. J. Spink, fired by the Mayor, Councillor White, and Councillor Foster, H. Coultish, Hon. Secretary</p> | <p>Wakefield, Worsley Edge Beacon</p> <p>*Warmfield-cum-Heath, near Wakefield, Heath Common (30ft. high), fired by Ronald Bell, R. Kershaw, Hon. Secretary (4 fires seen)</p> <p>Welburn</p> <p>Wentworth Castle, Castle Hill near Barnsley, notified by W. J. Fisher</p> <p>Westerdale, Baysdale Hill</p> <p>West Tanfield, J. W. Heddon, Hon. Secretary</p> <p>Whitby, Swarthow Cross</p> <p>Winton, Longrig Scar, Joseph Balmer, Hon. Secretary</p> <p>Withernsea, A. A. Raper, Hon. Secretary</p> <p>Witton Fell (1,050ft. above sea level), J. Maughan, Hon. Secretary (14 fires seen)</p> <p>Woolley Edge (on Mrs. Went- worth's estate), notified by W. H. France-Wayhurst</p> <p>Wykeham, Wykeham Park</p> <p>*Yeadon (640ft. above sea level), fired by Mrs. C. F. Harrop, N. Houlden, Hon. Secretary (over 30 fires seen)</p> |
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English Coronation Bonfires, 1911.

<i>Counties.</i>			<i>No. of Fires.</i>	<i>Counties.</i>			<i>No. of Fires.</i>
Bedfordshire	...	...	3	Lincolnshire	...	...	21
Berkshire	...	...	19	Middlesex	...	...	16
Buckinghamshire	...	...	14	Norfolk	...	...	21
Cambridgeshire	...	...	9	Northamptonshire	...	...	36
Cheshire	.	...	22	Northumberland	...	...	18
Cornwall	...	...	46	Nottingham	...	...	16
Cumberland	...	...	55	Oxfordshire	...	...	19
Derbyshire	...	...	81	Rutland	...	...	7
Devonshire	..	...	276	Shropshire	...	...	34
Dorset	...	...	44	Somerset	...	...	45
Durham	...	...	14	Staffordshire	...	...	38
Essex	...	...	22	Suffolk	...	...	19
Gloucester	...	...	43	Surrey	...	...	35
Hampshire	..	...	23	Sussex	...	...	97
Herefordshire	...	...	21	Warwickshire	...	...	38
Hertfordshire	...	...	18	Westmorland	...	...	24
Huntingdonshire	...	...	2	Wiltshire	...	...	34
Isle of Man	...	...	1	Worcestershire	...	...	40
Isle of Wight	...	...	8	Yorkshire	...	...	163
Kent	...	...	44				—
Lancashire	...	...	52			Total	1565
Leicestershire	...	...	27				—

The Scottish Coronation Bonfires.

(By Col. H. M. Cadell, V.D., D.L., of Grange, Linlithgow,
Hon. Secretary, Coronation Bonfire Committee.)

SCOTLAND kindled many Beltane fires on Coronation night, and chains of blazing beacons crossed the land from shore to shore and encircled the rocky coast from Berwick to the north of Shetland and from Wigtown and the Solway to the remote Butt of Lewis in the North Atlantic. In the midst of an unusually fine summer it was unfortunate that the 22nd of June was almost the only rainy day. The clouds, happily, rolled off in the evening and the wind abated at most places, but the haze prevented many of the fires from being seen at great distances. The effect was thus not nearly so impressive as it was at the Diamond Jubilee in 1897, when the face of the land appeared sprinkled over with sparkling points and the smallest bonfires shone clearly for many miles. In 1897 the number of Scottish bonfires recorded was 305, and at last coronation 122, but this year the enthusiasm was so great that now 516 fall to be reported, and no doubt many more have escaped notice altogether. In a few districts county, town, and parish bonfire committees were appointed in response to the Central Committee's appeal, but the great majority of the bonfires were, as formerly, the work of landowners or private individuals assisted by parish ministers, boy scouts, or the officials and foresters on large estates.

Many ancient beacon hills, long dark, shone out and answered to one another across the sea once more. The bonfire on Turnberry Hill recalled the stormy days of 600 years ago, when Robert the Bruce and his trusty warriors lay in Brodick Bay anxiously waiting for the signal fire on the

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Carrick coast to summon them over to strike the blow for freedom and the Scottish Crown which changed the whole course of the country's history.

“ Their eyes oft turn'd where glimmer'd far
What might have seem'd an early star
On heaven's blue arch, save that its light
Was all too flickering, fierce, and bright.
Far distant in the south, the ray
Shone pale amid retiring day,
But as, on Carrick shore,
Dim seen in outline faintly blue,
The shades of evening closer drew,
It kindled more and more.”

Lord of the Isles, Canto V.

The modern beacons no doubt burned much better than those of good King Robert's day. The one which was erected by the Hon. Secretary on Bonnytown Hill, on his estate in West Lothian overlooking the Firth of Forth, was 56ft. high and blazed so brilliantly for three hours that it was seen even in the thick weather by ships entering the Firth of Forth at the Bass Rock, 40 miles away. The highest bonfire in Scotland was built by the Broxburn Oil Coy. and the Boy Scouts, on the top of a huge “bing” or hill of oil shale refuse at Broxburn in Linlithgowshire, but being on a comparatively low geographical situation, it was not so conspicuous as some of the others. It was 60ft. high and, like all the most successful beacons, was constructed on the principle described metrically in the “Bonfire Ballad for Boy Scouts.” The Falkirk Town Council in Stirlingshire erected a magnificent pile, 59ft. high, in one of the public parks, which was also an immense success, but owing to its low situation was not so well seen as many smaller beacons on more prominent sites. One bonfire at least was built on the wrong principle, and being made chiefly of coal, gave out little light. It was scarcely seen a few miles off, and continued to burn smokily for three days.

The thanks of the Committee are due to the many correspondents, too numerous to recount, who have given information and assistance in the general scheme. But the positions of many of the bonfires have been obtained only from local newspapers, which gave few details, as the nocturnal illuminations often formed but the last item in a long day's

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programme. On the whole, although some of the largest Scottish Corporations refused to take part, the bonfires were a great success and afforded a vast fund of innocent entertainment, particularly to the younger generation in the rural districts. Such a display, produced at no small expenditure of time and trouble by loyal and patriotic people, is well calculated to impress on the popular mind, apt to be too much wrapped up in purely material and sordid ideals, the memory of a great national event, a milestone in history passed only at rare intervals in the course of a single lifetime.

The names of those who built or assisted to provide the bonfires are given as far as possible after the respective localities in the following list. The county of Argyll takes the first place with 62 beacons, and Inverness comes next with 50. The whole number (including some oil flares) is 516, distributed as follows:—

SCOTLAND.

An asterisk denotes that there is a photograph of this Bonfire.

Aberdeenshire (24 reported).

Aberdeen	Dunnydeer Hill, Inch
Aboyne	Fyvie
Ardwell, Cabrach	Gallowshill, Rothienorman
Auchterless	Glentamar
Balbithan Hill, Kintore	Knock-na-hare, Aberdour
Brimmond Hill, W. Rankine	Lonack Hill, Strathdon, erected by tenants of Inverernan Estate
Cairnie	Maud, Local Committee and Rev. W. Cowie
Clashmach, Huntly	Smallburn Hill, Jas. Ferguson, of Kinmundy
Corgarff, Strathdon, Major Farquharson	Towie
Coyles of Muick	Tryst Hill, Monquhitter
Craigbuie, Invercauld	Turriff
Craignaban, Abergeldie	
Craigowan	

Argyllshire (62 reported).

Achara, Duror of Appin, Col. Stewart of Achnacone	Appin, Island on Loch Faich, Col. Stewart
Achintore	Ardchattan Hill, Taynuilt, R.
Appin, Castle Stalcaire	C. Campbell Preston

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ARGYLLSHIRE—Continued.

Ardentinny, Capt. J. H. P. Leschellas	*Dun-I, Iona
Ardgour, Capt. Maclean of Ardgour	Dunlossit
Ardtornish	Dun-Mac-Uisneachin, Benderloch
Ballachulish	Dunstaffnage, Campbell of Dun- staffnage
„ North	Gallanach, Oban, W. Patten Macdougall, of Gallanach
Ballinaby	Gallows Knowe, Tiree
Banavie	Gigha, W. T. Yorke Scarlett
Battery Hill, Bowmore	Glendaruel
Beinn-nan-gualainean, Colonsay	Innellan
Ben Tartaval, Islay	Jura
Campbeltown, Ben Gullion, Local Committee, per D. Colville, jun.	Kilmalieu, Ardgour, W. Gair
Campbeltown, Summer Hill, Local Committee	Kilmaronaig, Connel, Capt. N. G. Macalister, R.N.
Carrick Castle, Loch Goil	Knockdon
Castle Rocks, Dunoon	Mull—
Cnock Engle, Lismore	Aros House, A. Allan, of Aros
Cnoc-na-Cardoch, Kilmelford, Oban, per Rev. D. Macarthur	Calgary
Conaglen	Clach Maraig, Tobermory
Corpach	Kilfinichen
Craignish	Kilmaronaig
Crianlarich	Lochbuie
Cross Green, Inveraray	Penmore
Cruach Lerags, D. McEwen	Ross of Mull (2)
Dalmally	Oransay
Drinnen, Morven	Quinish, Dervaig
Drumnamucklach Hill, Killeen	Strathlachlan
Drynlea, Cumlodden, Sir A. N. Campbell, of Succoth, Bart.	Strone, Loch Long
Dun Corbal, Inveraray	Strone, Loch Striven
	Tomacharrich
	Tom-na-creige
	Uisguintuie Golf Course

Ayrshire (29 *reported*).

Ayr	Castle Hill, Ardrossan, Local Committee
Beith, D. Gemmell	Corsehill, Dreghorn
Boydstone, Ardrossan, W. R. E. Alexander	Dalmellington, Ben Beoch (1521ft.), Local Committee

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Dalmellington, Townshill, Local Committee, per Rev. G. S. Hendrie	Loudon Hill, Darvel
Dundonald	Mauchline
Fairlie (2)	Maybole, Capt. H. R. Wallace
Girvan	New Cumnock, R. H. Gemmell
Goldenberry Hill, West Kilbride, Mrs. Hunter-Weston	Portincross Point, W. Adams
Irvine	Prestwick
Kilwinning	Saltcoats
Knockdolian	Skelmorlie
Largs	Sornhill, Catrine
Law Hill, West Kilbride, Mrs. Robertson of Orchard	Stevenston
	Troon, Ballastbank
	Turnberry, ancient beacon hill

Banffshire (6 *reported*).

Balloch Hill, Keith	Hill of Troup, Gamrie
Boyndie	Viewmount, Macduff
Elf Hillock, Drummuir	Woodside, Aberlour

Berwickshire (23 *reported*).

Ayton Hill	Greenlaw, South Moor
Bell Hill, St. Abb's, W. G. Burn-Murdoch	Halidon Hill, notified by A. H. M. Weddell
Black Hill, Cowdenknowes, Col. C. Hope, of Cowdenknowes	Harelaw Hill, Chirnside, A. H. Mitchell-Innes, of Whitehall
Boonhill, Lauder, Dr. R. Shirra Gibb	Hirsel Law, Earl of Home
Chesters, Lauder	Kedslie Hill, Earlston, W. W. Robertson
Cockburn Law, G. G. Turnbull, of Abbey St. Bathans	Kyles Hill, Sir John Hume Campbell
Darlingfield, Lord Binning	Lamberton Moor
Duns Law, F. S. Hay, of Duns castle	Langton Edge, Duns, Hon. Mrs. Baillie Hamilton
Fans Hill	Law Hill, Coldingham, Boy Scouts
Greenfield, R. Campbell Renton, of Mordington, and Major J. B. Wilkie, of Foulden	Newton Don, Nenthorn
Greenlaw, North Moor	Raeleugh Hill, Westruther
	Upsetlington Hill, Ladykirk

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Buteshire (10 *reported*).

Ardmaleish	Gt. Cumbrae Island
Brodict Castle, Arran, Marchioness of Graham	Kilchattan Bay (2)
Brodict, Arran	Millport, Gt. Cumbrae
Corrie, Arran	Rothesay (2)

Caithness (6 *reported*).

Castletown	Spittal Hill, Halkirk, Local Committee, per Alex. Gunn
Dunnet	Warth Hill, Wick
Mey, Local Committee, per N. J. Leitch	Westfield

Clackmannanshire (3 *reported*).

Alloa	Menstrie
Gloomhill, R. M. Sutherland	

Dumbartonshire (13 *reported*).

Auchentorlie Estate, Bowling, per R. M. Latta	Kilcreggan
Bonhill	Kilmaronock
Condorrat	Overton (2)
Cove, Local Committee	Shandon
Dumgoyne	Tullichewan, Balloch, per R. M. Latta
Garshake, Dumbarton	Twechar

Dumfriesshire (27 *reported*).

Annan, Boy Scouts	*Hoddam, Ecclefechan
Annandale:—	*Lockerbie Ho., Colin Dunlop
Bleeze Hill, Wamphray, Boy Scouts	Matthew's Folly, Sanquhar, Local Committee, per T. G. Salmon
Brunthill, Local Committee	Moffat, Dumfriesshire County Bonfire Committee
Skelton Hill, Applegarth and Sibbaldbie, Local Committee	Moniaive
White Hill, Hulton & Corrie	Nithsdale:—
Beattock	Barshall Camp, Tinwald
Burnswark, St. Mungo, Sir R. W. Buchanan Jardine, Bart.	Crossford Hill, Glencairn
Carruthers Hill, Middlebie	Heskit Hill, Mouswald
Chapel Hill, Moffat	Wardlaw Hill, Caerlaverock, Duchess of Norfolk
Craigielands Hill, Kirkpatrick-Juxta	Quhytewoollen Hill, Lockerbie
Dunbretton Hill, Kirtle	Rammerscales Hill, Loch Maben
Eskdalemuir	Repentance Tower, Cummertrees, Parish Council
Goodhope Rigs, Johnstone, J. J.	White Hill, Langholm
Hope Johnstone, of Annandale	
Grange Fell, Tundergarth	

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Elgin and Nairn (8 *reported*).

Advie	Grantown
Barmuckity, J. W. Wharton	Knockando, Archiestown
Duff, of Orton	Nairn
Gordon Castle, Fochabers, Duke	*Orton, J. W. Wharton Duff
of Richmond and Gordon	Roths

Fife (31 *reported*).

Balgownie, J. J. Dalgleish	Kennoway, Langside Hill
Benarty Hill, Kelty	Largo Law, Local Committee,
Billowness, Anstruther	per Geo. A. Bell
Binn Hill, Burntisland	Lomond Hill
Culross, Prov. J. Cunninghame	Londive Hill, Sir John Gilmour
Cupar	of Montrave
Dunfermline, W. R. Maxwell	Ormiston Hill, Newburgh, Local
Dysart	Committee, per Provost
Elie	Anderson
Flockhouse View, Kelty	Rires Hill, Kilconquhar
Forret Hill, Logie	Rossie Den, Auchtermuchty
Foulford Hill, Cowdenbeath	Saline Hills, Local Bonfire
Grange Hill, Kinghorn, L. I.	Committee
Cadell	Scurr Hill, Gauldry
Guardbridge (2)	Springfield, Windygates
Inzievar, A. D. Smith Sligo, of	St. Andrews (2)
Inzievar	Strathmiglo
Kelly Law	Torryburn

Forfarshire (4 *reported*).

Carnoustie Town Council	Kirriemuir, A. S. M. Wedder-
Hunter's Hill, Glamis	burn, of Pearsie
	Montrose

Glasgow District (1 *reported*).

Mount Florida

Haddingtonshire (11 *reported*).

Bass Rock	Gullane, J. B. Stevenson
Belford Knowe, Aberlady, Earl	*North Berwick Law, Boy Scouts
of Wemyss and March	Nunraw, Garvald
Dirleton	Temple Mains, Innerwick
*Doon Hill, Dunbar, Miss Watt,	Tower Park, Elphingstone
of Spott, per Jas. Stenhouse,	Tranent
Agent	Tyneholm Park, Pencaitland

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Inverness-shire (50 reported).

Achnacarry, Cameron of Lochiel	Baleshan
Aigas Hill, Beaully	Balranald
Arisaig	Bayhead
Badenoch	Boreray Island
Blarour Hill, Spean Bridge	Carinish
Brin, Mr. Stewart	Clachan Trumsgary
Bunchrew	Claddach Kirkibost
Craigbeg, Kingussie	Glari
Craig-nan-gour, Farr, Mr.	Grimsay
Mackenzie	Hersker Island
Drynachan, Invergarry, Capt.	Kallen
Ellice	Loch Efort
Forest Lodge, Cluanie	Loch Maddy
Fort Augustus	Scolpaig Hill
Foyers	Sollar
Glen Elg	Tigharg
Glengarry	Vallarg
Glenshiel	Onich
Glen Truim	Prince Charlie's Rock, Fort-
Harris	william
Inchvalgur Hill, Glenurquhart	Roy Bridge
Inverness	Skye—
Kinchyle, Dores	Bracadale
Knoydart	Glendale
Lochaber	Eyri, Snizort
North Uist—	Uig, „
Balebone Hill	Tomacharrich
	Tomich

Kincardineshire (1 reported).

Laurencekirk, A Pearson

Kirkcudbright (19 reported).

Barlay Hill, Gelston	Kirkpatrick-Durham, J.
Bryden's Knowe, Carsphairn	McQueen, of Crofts
Castle Douglas	Meiklewood Hill, Tarff
Criffel	Muckle Hill, Colvend
Crofts' Moat, Crossmichael	Munches
Fell, Balmaclellan (1,350ft.)	Penny Hill, Colvend
Gatehouse	Screel, Robinson Douglas
Irongray	Southwick
Kelton Hill, Rhonehouse	The Fell, W. S. Dickson
Kiln Hill, New Galloway,	Urr
Local Committee	

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Kinross-shire (2 *reported*).

*Hood's Hill, Fossoway Loch Leven

Lanarkshire (14 *reported*).

Airdrie, Commonhead, W. B.	Coulter Shaw
Hossack, Bonfire Committee	Croft Hill, Carmunnock, Carmunnock Bonfire Committee
Airdrie, Gartlee	East Kilbride, Local Committee
Carluke	Hamilton, Duke of Hamilton
*Carmichael Hill, Thankerton, L. A. Morrison, Factor	Newmains
Castlehill, Symington	Pettinain, L. A. Morrison
Common Hill, Biggar, Mrs. Dennistoun Mitchell, of Carwood	Quothquan Law, Libberton, Sir N. Dunlop, per Chas. Lyon
	Wishaw

Linlithgowshire (11 *reported*).

Armadales Town Council	Fauldhouse
*Bonnytoun Hill (56ft. high), Col. H. M. Cadell, of Grange	Dechmont Law
Broomyknowes, Boy Scouts	*Johnstone Hill, Bathgate, Local Committee, per J. Freeland,
*Broxburn Shale Bing (60ft. high), Broxburn Oil Co. and Boy Scouts	Slackend Hill, Torphichen, Campbell King
Cockleroi, J. G. B. Henderson	Uphall
	West Lothian Golfcourse, Duke of Hamilton

Midlothian (15 *reported*).

Cairns Castle, Midcalder	Kirkhill
Craiglockhart, Dr. G. M. Robertson	Paties Hill, Carlops, Local Committee
Dalmahoy, Jas. Mc.Kelvie	Scaldlaw, Boy Scouts
Leith Links, Leith Town Council	Torphin Hill, Col. Trotter
Musselburgh	Uttersheil, Castle Hill
Newbattle	Pumpherston, Pumpherston Oil Company
Pentlands:—	Raw Farm, East Calder, Boy Scouts
Blackhill	
East Cairn Hill, W. H. Hamilton	

Orkney and Shetland (26 *reported*.)

Orkney:—	Firth
Burray	Flotta
Egilshay	Graemsay
Fara	Orphir

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

ORKNEY AND SHETLAND—Continued.

Pentland Skerries

Rousay

Sandwick

Sandy Hill, Shapinsay

South Ronaldshay

Vestial Hill, Evie

Walls (2)

Ward Hill, Hoy (1,564ft),
highest point in Orkneys,
and 16 miles north of
Dunnet Head on the main-
land. Bonfires were lit on
most of the Orkney Islands,
and 20 were visible from the
top of Rousay

Shetland :—

Club of Mulla

Eshaness

Hillswick Ness

Mossbank, Delting

Olnafirth Ness

Queedieberg, Lunnasting

Scraefield, Quarff

Standing Stones, Lunna

Vord Hill, Fetlar

Wart of Clate, Whalsay, Local
Committee, per Rev. A. C.
Henderson

Peebleshire (7 *reported*.)

Caerlee Hill, Innerleithen

Castlecraig

Gallalaw, Skirling, Sir T. D.
Gibson Carmichael

Lee Pen, Innerleithen, Capt. Miller
Cunningham and M. Thorburn

Rachan Hill, Broughton, H. B.
Marshall, of Rachan

Traquair, Lord Glenconner
Walkerburn

Perthshire (30 *reported*.)

Aberfoyle, Parish Council

Alyth Hill

Ardoch, Carroul

Atholl, E. F. Robertson, of
Auchleeks

Ayton Hill, R. W. Seton
Watson

Balmunro Hill, R. W. Seton
Watson

Ben Dhu, Comrie Local Com-
mittee

Black Mailer, Foswell

Callum Hill, Crieff, Local
Committee

Castleton Hill

Cluny Hill, Pitlochry

Cnoc Dhu, Callander, Town
Council

Coupar Angus, R. Lumsden

Craigie Hill, H. S. Pullar

Craigrossie, Auchterarder

Dunkeld

Glenalmond, Rev. A. R. F.
Hyslop

Gleneagles

Glen Lyon

Kilgraston Hill, H. S. Pullar

Laig Hill, Dunblane

Moncrieffe Hill, Sidlaws, Dun-
barney Parish Council

Monzievaird

Munday Hill, Ochils, Dunbarney
Parish Council

Muthill

*Ochtertreyre, Crieff, A. Keith
Murray of Ochtertreyre

Public Park, Auchterarder

Rock of Dull, Aberfeldy

Rumbling Bridge, W. F.
McLaren

Upper Cloan, Auchterarder

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Renfrewshire (6 reported).

Auchenbothie, Houston, H. B. Collins	Greenock, Whinhill, Local Committee
Gourock, Cloch	Houstonhead, Bridge of Weir
Greenock, Lyle Road, Local Committee, per Ryrie Orr	Pollockshaws

Ross and Cromarty (23 reported).

Alness	Knockairdness, Lewis
,, Knockducherie	Loch Carron
Applecross	Loch Torridon
Balmacara	Mitchell Hill, Dingwall
Butt of Lewis (2)	*Mouteagle Hill, Fearn, Major C.L.D. Monro and Boy Scouts
Carloway, Uig	
Cnoc a' Tein Aighear, Aultbea	Novar
Cromarty	Shawbost
Dingwall, Davidson of Tulloch	Strathpeffer
Foulis	Tain
Kinlochewe	Tolsta Chulish, Uig
Kinrive, R. de C. Findlay	

Roxburghshire (20 reported).

Bonchester Law	Morebattle Hill
Broxlaw	Penielheugh, Crailing
Cliftonhill, Ednam	Ruberslaw, (1,400ft), A. Palmer Douglas
Hadden Rig	St. Boswell's
Hownam Law	Stobs
Jedburgh, Dunion	Smailholm
Kelso, J. Dove	Sunlaws
Melrose	Sweethope Crags, Stichel
Minto Crags	Wolflee
Minto Hill	Yetholm

Selkirk (2 reported).

Meigle Hill, Galashiels	Selkirk
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Stirlingshire (22 reported).

Blairdrummond	Crichton's Cairn
Campsie Fells	Denny, Committee of Town Council, per Alex. Hendry
Castle Cary	
Clachter's Stane, Commander Miller-Stirling, R.N.	Doune

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

STIRLINGSHIRE—Continued.

Dunblane	Lennoxtown
Dunglass, Strathblane, E. Craig	Milngavie, Public Park
Dunipace, J. A. Harvie-Brown	,, Craigallion
*Falkirk, Princes' Park (59ft high), Local Committee	Muiravonside
Kilsyth	Stirling, Gowan Hill, Stirling Town Council
Kippen	Sughtree's Bank
Lammerknowes, Banton, Local Committee, Col. H. M. Cadell, and Rev. J. Livingston	Vellore, W. Brown
	Wallacestone, Boy Scouts

Sutherland (5 reported).

Craigton	Reay
Eriboll, Mrs. Clarke	Strathalladale
Lairg	

Wigtownshire (5 reported).

Balker Hill, Stranraer	Larg Hill, Kirroughtree Estate, Newton Stewart Coronation Committee
Barrhill, Newton Stewart, Newton Stewart Coronation Committee, per D. W. Nicholson	Wigtown
Culbratton Hill, Newton-Stewart, Coronation Committee	

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Scottish Coronation Bonfires, 1911.

<i>Counties.</i>				<i>No. of Fires.</i>	<i>Counties.</i>				<i>No. of Fires.</i>
Aberdeen	...	...	...	24	Kinross	...	...	...	2
Argyll	...	...	...	62	Lanark	...	...	...	14
Ayr	...	...	...	29	Linlithgow	...	...	...	11
Banff	...	...	...	6	Midlothian	...	...	...	15
Berwick	...	...	...	23	Orkney and Shetland	...	...	...	26
Bute	...	...	...	10	Peebles	...	...	...	7
Caithness	...	...	...	6	Perth	...	...	...	30
Clackmannan	...	...	...	3	Renfrew	...	...	...	6
Dumbarton	...	...	...	13	Ross and Cromarty	...	...	...	23
Dumfries	...	...	...	27	Roxburgh	...	...	...	20
Elgin and Nairn	...	...	...	8	Selkirk	...	...	...	2
Fife	...	...	...	31	Stirling	...	...	...	22
Forfar	...	...	...	4	Sutherland	...	...	...	5
Glasgow District	...	...	...	1	Wigtown	...	...	...	5
Haddington	...	...	...	11					
Inverness	...	...	...	50					
Kincardine	...	...	...	1				Total	516
Kirkcudbright	...	...	...	19					

H. M. CADELL.

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

IRELAND.

An asterisk denotes that there is a photograph of this Bonfire.

Antrim (30 reported).

Agnews Hill	Knockagh
Antrim	Larne, notified by T. Mayne, Hon. Secretary
Bally Carry	Riversite
Ballycastle (2), notified by F. Hugh	Sallagh Mountain
Ballymena, Church Tower (flare)	Stradnatranna, on Mr. D. Dun- lop's lands, notified by G. C. S. Dunlop (6 fires seen)
Ballymena, Glemish Mountain, notified by William Young	Stranocrum, Livery Hills, noti- fied by W. Ford Hutchinson
Ballygalley Head	Stranseum
Blandmagee, Court Knowe	Templepatrick, Donegore Hill, D. Owens Greene, Hon. Secretary, notified by J. Clark
Bushmills	Templepatrick, Rickamore Hill, notified by J. Clark
Carrickfergus, Scotch Quarter Pier, notified by D. Law	Templepatrick, Wiley's Hill, notified by J. Clark
Carntall	Whiteabbey
Castle Dobbs, notified by J. Hamilton Bennett	Whitehead, Blow Hole, notified by J. Hamilton Bennett
Doagh, Browndodd Hill, notified by J. Clark	Whitemountain
Doagh, Holystone Hill, notified by J. Clark	
Island Magee	
Kells, Allison's Hill, notified by L. Arthur	

Armagh (2 reported).

Loughbrickland	Moy
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Carlow (1 reported).

Bagenalstown, organised and notified by D. R. Pack-Beresford

Cavan (29 reported).

Arley Mt. Nugent	Betturbet (4)	} Notified by E. M. Archdale
Arvagh (2)	Cavan (7)	
Ballyconnell (3)	Cootehill (6)	
Ballyjaeresduff (4)	Killeshandra (2)	

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Cork (6 *reported*).

Cork, Bellevue Park, notified by J. B. Fowler	(on Col. Somerville's Estate), notified by E. R. Somerville (6 fires seen)
Courtmacsherry, J. W. Forde	
Crosshaven Hotel	Longueville, residence of R. E. Longfield
Knock-Down (400ft. above sea level), mainly built by Chief Officer and men of Castle Townshend Coastguard Station	Mallow, Summer Hill, on Mr. Williamson's grounds, notified by J. F. Williamson

Donegal (9 *reported*).

Castle Carey, notified by Col. J. A. L. Montgomery	Lettergull Hill
Creggan, Glen Scallop, Mr. James Allen's fire (900ft. above sea level)	Moville, notified by Col. J. A. L. Montgomery
Glenscollib	Redcastle, notified by Col. J. A. L. Montgomery
Greencastle, notified by Col. J. A. L. Montgomery	Saint Johnstone, James Brown Shrove, notified by Col. J. A. L. Montgomery

Dublin (1 *reported*).

Howth, Hill of Howth, notified by J. C. Gaisford, Lawrence
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Down (10 *reported*).

Ardglass, Compass Hill, notified by J. Fleming	Drunahare Hill, Loughbrickland
Ardglass, Saintfield	Peter's Hill, Newcastle, notified by W. O'Neill
Crawfordsburn, Col. R. G. Shannon Crawford's fire	Rodemon
Crossgan, Col. R. G. Shannon Crawford's fire	Rostrevor, notified by Captain F. Hall
Deer Park, Narrow Water, notified by Captain F. Hall	Warrenpoint, Esplanade, notified by Captain F. Hall

Fermanagh (22 *reported*).

Ackwood	Church Hill
Ballinmallard, notified by E. M. Archdale	Clonelly, notified by E. M. Archdale
Brookeborough, notified by E. M. Archdale	Crom Castle, notified by E. M. Archdale
Bunlougher	Derrygore, notified by E. M. Archdale
Castle Archdale, notified by E. M. Archdale	Enniskillen, notified by E. M. Archdale
Castletown, notified by E. M. Archdale	

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Louth (1 *reported*).

Drogheda, Ardagh Hill, fired and notified by B. R. Balfour

Meath (1 *reported*.)

Meath (Mr. Oldbridge's bonfire)

Roscommon (1 *reported*).

Rockingham, Boyle, Mr. King-Harman's estate, notified by T. J. Stafford

Sligo (1 *reported*).

Collooney, Union Rock

Tyrone (1 *reported*).

Clognew

Tipperary (1 *reported*).

Roscrea

Wicklow (3 *reported*).

Ardmore Point (Mr. H. Leslie-Ellis's fire), notified by H. Leslie-Ellis

Camaderry Mountain, notified by Archdeacon G. R. Wynne
Glendalough

The following have also been notified:—

Alla, Rev. Beckett

Ballyhoe, Mulroy, Earl of Leitrim

Baronscourt, Bessy Bell, Duke of Abercorn

Benbraddagh, Dungiven, R. J. C. Ogilby

Braes of Galloway, Feeny, Thos. Thompson

Brookhill, J. Walker

Buncrana, A. B. Mullin

Carricklee, Carricklee Hill, E. C. Hadman

Carrigans, W. J. Hannah

Coroddy, F. M. Cully

Croghan, Strabane, Thos. Elliot

Cross, John Pinkerton

Culdaff, J. Flemming

Donemana,

Downhill, Sir H. Bruce

Ervey Mountain, Wm. Canning

Evish Hill, Dr. Baird

Fahan, Captain Norman

Glenalgan, Limavady, M. M. McCauslans

Gortnessy, Mr. Guthrie

Gortree Hill, Joseph McCrea

Grianan

Lettermuck, Ballyarton, A. Irwin

Lisdillon, Ardmore, Major Smythe

Millbrook, Straidarran, Alex. Miller

Multybracken, Cumber, Major Browne-Leake

Portsalon, Major Baiton

Portrush, Ramore Hill, Capt. Watt

Sion Mills, Bierney Mountain, Captain Richards

Tirbracken, S. C. McCutcheon

Warbleshinney, Mr. Smyth

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Irish Coronation Bonfires, 1911.

<i>Counties.</i>							<i>No. of Fires.</i>
Antrim	...	...	...	...	...	...	30
Armagh	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Carlow	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Cavan	...	...	...	...	...	...	29
Cork	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Donegal	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Dublin	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Down	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Fermanagh	...	...	...	...	...	...	22
Galway	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Kildare	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
King's County	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Kilkenny	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Leitrim	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Longford	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Londonderry	12
Louth	1
Meath	1
Roscommon	1
Sligo	1
Tyrone	1
Tipperary	1
Wicklow	3
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Additional	31
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Total							160
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THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

WALES.

An asterisk denotes that there is a photograph of this Bonfire.

Anglesey (4 reported).

Beaumaris, Chairman of Bonfire Committee, Gwynfa, Beaumaris, Anglesey	Caergybi Mynydd, A. Asquith, Town Hall, Holyhead
Carreglwyd, notified by Lady Reade	Plâs Berw, notified by Lady Reade

Breconshire (1 reported).

Twyn Gwyn (1300ft.), A. Lloyd Davies, 43 Tot Hill, St. Ebbw Vale

Carmarthen (3 reported).

Bettws, E. Hewlett, Wernoleu, Ammaford, R.S.O.	Pencoed foel (800ft.), C. E. Vowles, County School, Llandyssul
Penlan Hill, F. E. Morris, Bryn Roma, Carmarthen	

Carnarvon (4 reported).

Great Ormes Head, W. Shadbolt, Gas Works, Llandudno	Llanfairfechan, Gorddinog, Col. Platt's bonfire, notified by J. M. Baker
Bethesda, W. G. Pritchard, 6 Ogwen Terrace, Bethesda	Snowdon, notified by T. G. Creak

Cardigan (2 reported).

Aberayron, Dr. Edw. Williams, Aberayron	Plinlimmon, H. Bousall, Pendebryn, Llanbadarn
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Denbigh (6 reported).

Abergele, Kinnel Park (36ft. high), Mrs. Hughes's bonfire (9 fires seen)	Foel (750ft. above sea level), Mrs. H. W. Carlton, Foel, Llansannan, Abergele
Bryn Euryn (424ft.), J. Parry-Hughes, Council Offices, Colwyn Bay	Moelfre Ucha (1300ft.), J. E. Oldfield, Ffarm, Abergele
Cerrig Serth, W. R. Williams, Schoolmaster, Llangwm, Corwen	On the hills above Chirk Castle, W. Parker, Chirk Castle Offices, Chirk

Flintshire (2 reported).

Ben Arth (just above Tremeirchion), Rev. R. Monteith, St. Beuno's College, St. Asaph	Foel Gaer (just under 1000ft.), J. C. Brown, Rhosesmor School, near Holywell
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THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Glamorganshire (7 reported).

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| <p>Aberdare, A. P. Jones, Bute Estate Office, Aberdare</p> <p>Barry, T. B. Tordoff, Council Offices, Barry</p> <p>Cefn on, built by the Earl of Plymouth (35ft. high, 20ft. in diameter at the base), L. L. Powell, Bradford Cottage, Caerphilly, Glam.</p> <p>Garth Mountain, Pentyrch (by the Marquis of Bute), A. P. Jones, Bute Estate Office, Aberdare</p> | <p>Llanmadoc Hill (600ft.) (bonfire 15ft. high), very successful bonfire, L. Gordon Lenox, Llanmadoc, Ronaldston, South Wales</p> <p>*Penarth Head (230ft., base of bonfire 35ft. in diameter), Stanley Smith, 71 Plassey Street, Penarth</p> <p>Treherbert, A. P. Jones, Bute Estate Office, Aberdare</p> |
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Merionethshire (4 reported).

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| <p>Cader Idris (2929ft.), also Mynydd Moel and Craig-y-cau being the three highest peaks of the Cader range, T. H. W.</p> | <p>Idris, 120 Pratt Street, Camden Town, London</p> <p>Fegla Fawr Arthog, notified by Owen Evans</p> |
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Monmouth (13 reported).

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| <p>Chepstow</p> <p>Christchurch</p> <p>Craig-y-dorth</p> <p>Domen Fawr, Ebbw Vale</p> <p>Graig Mountain (1,600ft.), E. W. G. Mardon's fire</p> <p>Llangibby, Penpark Hill</p> <p>Llanwern, notified by D. A. Thomas (more than a dozen fires seen)</p> | <p>Machen Mountain (1,050ft.) (35ft. high), Viscount Tredegar's fire</p> <p>Mynydd Maen</p> <p>Rhymney, W. Lloyd Marks, Urban District Council, Rhymney</p> <p>Sildon</p> <p>Sugar Loaf (2000ft.), J. O. Marsh, Mayor, Town Hall, Abergavenny</p> <p>Tredegar</p> |
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Montgomeryshire (10 reported).

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| <p>Bryncrugog, N. Bennett Owen, Gwernafon, Llanidloes</p> <p>*Cae Bigol, Beacon Ring, notified by P. Hurlbutt, Leighton, Estate Office, Welshpool</p> <p>*Forder, Nant Cribban Park</p> <p>Garthgell Hill, J. Marshall Dugdale, Llwyn, Llanfyllin, S.O.</p> <p>*Kerry Pole, Mrs. Naylor's fire, B. H. E. Beadon, Brynllwarch Estate Office, Kerry, Montgomery</p> <p>Llangurig, J. P. Pryse, J.P.</p> | <p>Moel-y-golfa (1,324ft.), R. Preece, Middletown, Welshpool</p> <p>Montgomeryshire Peak of Plynlimon, E. Hamer, (Mayor), Summerfield Park, Llanidloes</p> <p>Montgomery, Town Hill (50ft. high), R. Turnbull, Lymore, Montgomery</p> <p>Newtown, Brimmon Hill, Bennett Rowland's fire (20 fires seen)</p> |
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THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Pembrokeshire (9 *reported*).

Barrack's Hill, G. Mason, Bush Street, Pembroke Dock; R. S. Thomas, Woodbine Terrace, Pembroke	District Council, Milford Haven
Dinas Head (850ft.), Charles E. Baker's fire	Prescelly (1,735ft.), Charles E. Baker's fire
Garn Llanllawer (1,100ft.), Charles E. Baker's fire	Ramsay Island (450ft.), Charles E. Baker's fire
Garn Lleithe (635ft.), Charles E. Baker's fire	Tenby, top of hill overlooking town, B. Morley, Borough Surveyor's Office, Tenby
Murray Crescent, J. P. Morgan and T. C. Lewis, Urban	Treffgarne Mountain, R. O. Lloyd, Treffgarne Hall, Treffgarne

Radnorshire (3 *reported*).

Coleshill, notified by Mrs. Evelyn (29 fires seen)	Newbridge-on-Wye, Llewellyn, Llysdinam, Newbridge-on-Wye,
Craigie (1800ft), Lewis Evans, The Home Farm, Penybont Station, Radnorshire	

THE CORONATION BONFIRES.

Welsh Coronation Bonfires, 1911.

<i>Counties.</i>							<i>No. of Fires.</i>
Anglesey	..	...	...	...	...	...	4
Breconshire	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Carmarthen	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Carnarvon	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Cardigan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Denbigh	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Flintshire	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Glamorganshire		...	...	...	...	...	7
Merionethshire		...	...	...	...	...	4
Monmouthshire		13
Montgomeryshire		10
Pembrokeshire		9
Radnorshire	3
Total							68

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Acton Burnell



Ashington



Apethorpe



Aspull



Bathgate



Bowscar



Bonnytoun Hill



Bramham Moor



Brampton



Broxburn



Bristol, Knowle



Buckland, Braunton



Cae Bigol, Beacon Ring



Carmichael Hill



Caldbeck



Clayton-le-Moors



Clifton



Crofton



Crieff



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Cudworth



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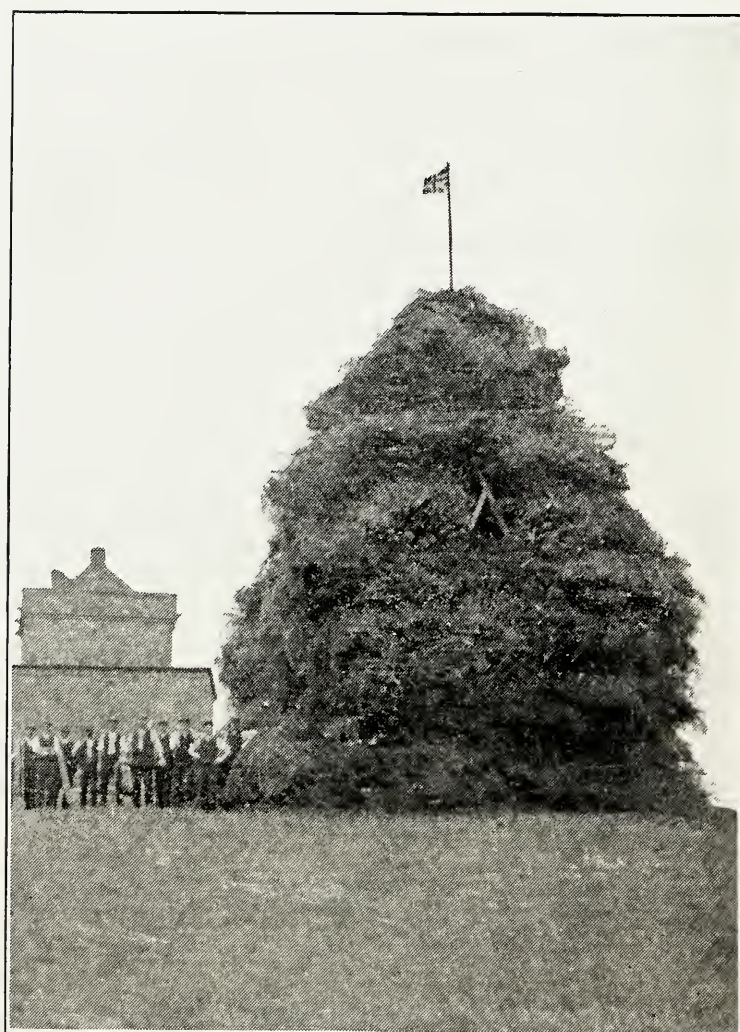
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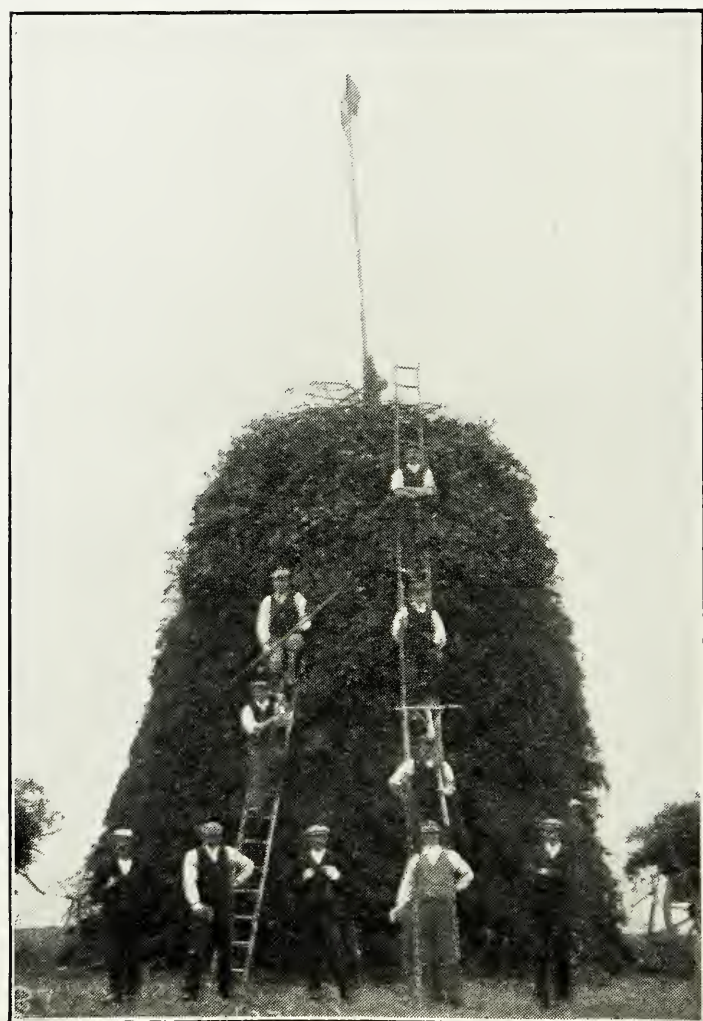
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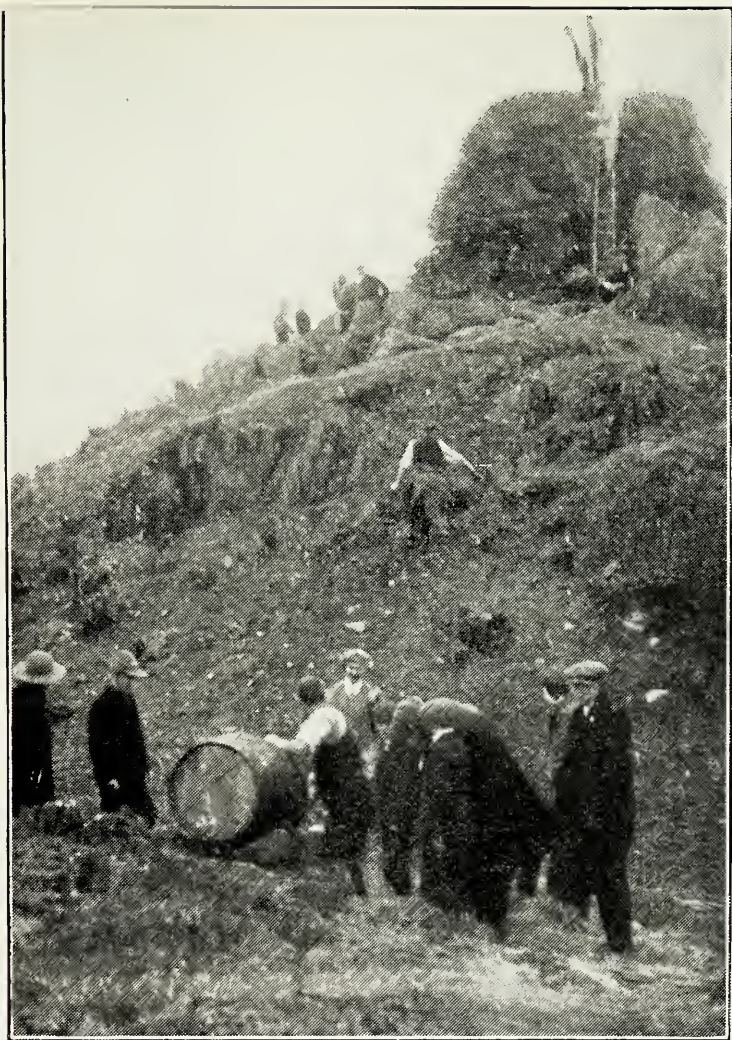
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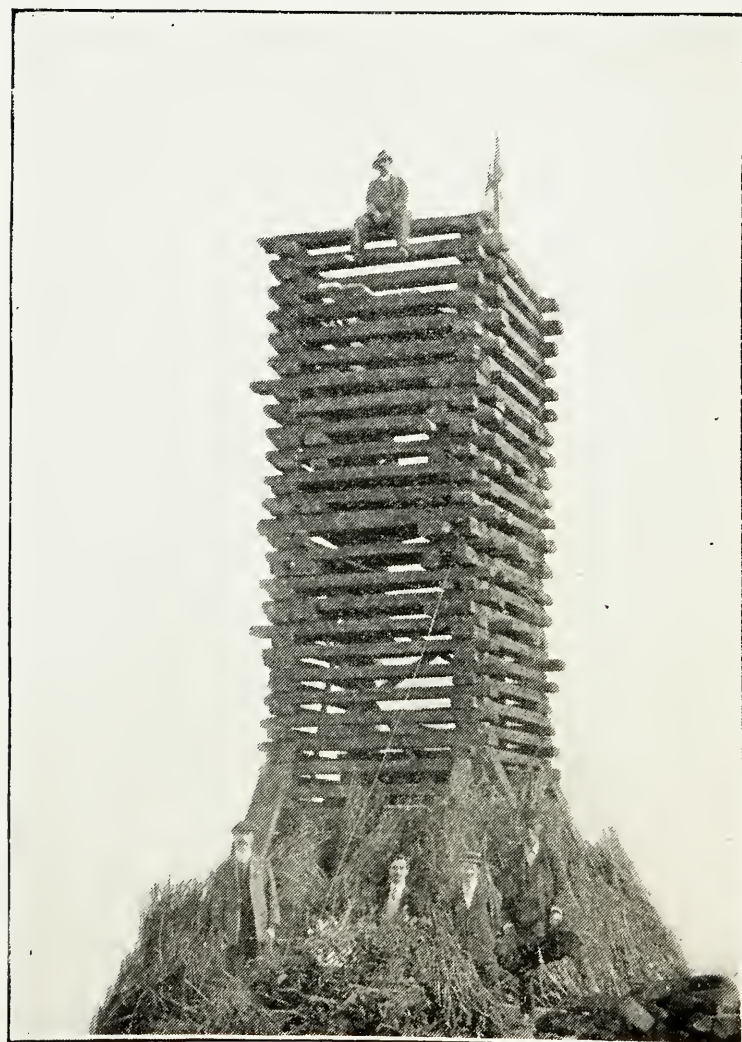
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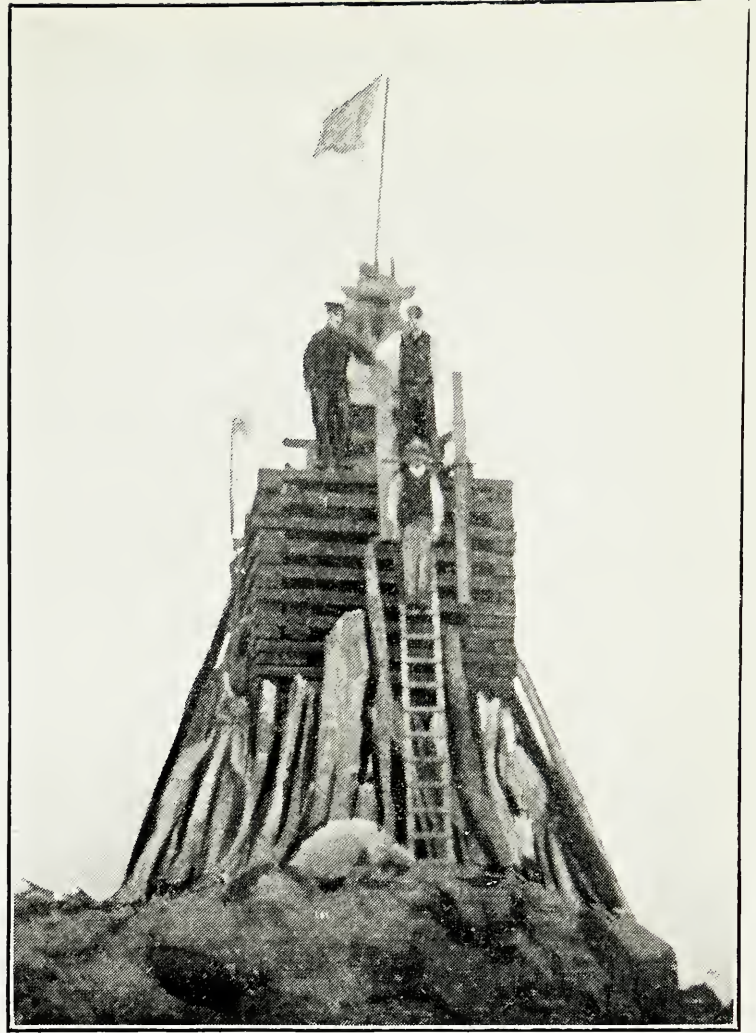
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Ocker Hill



Oldbury, Bury Hill Park



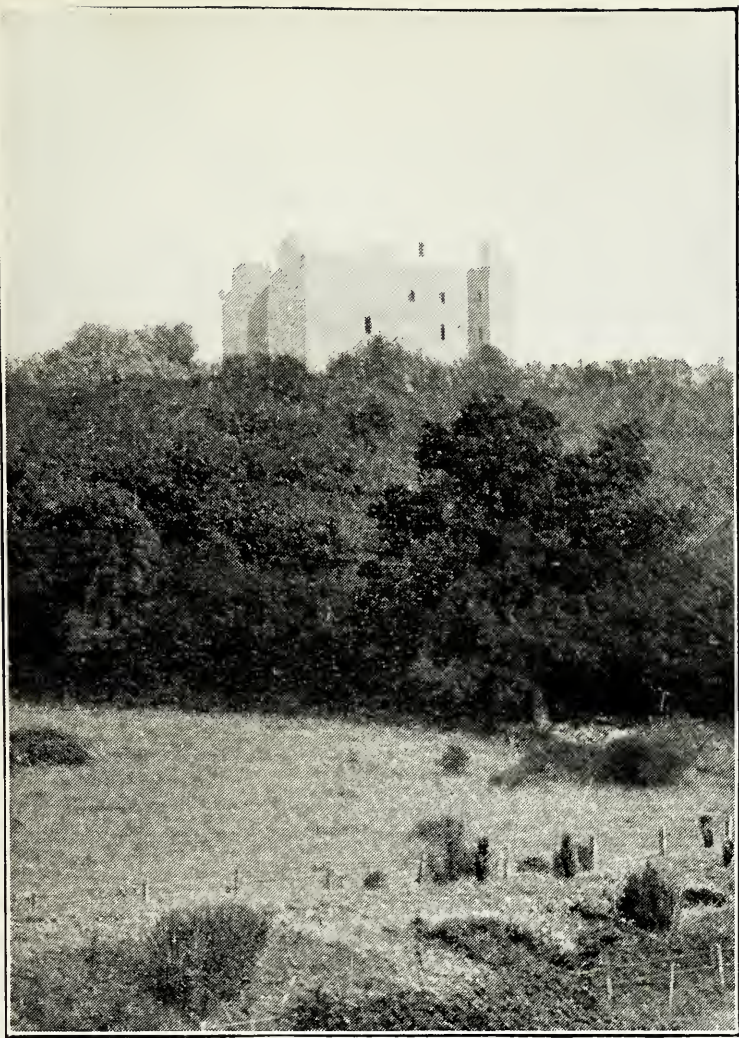
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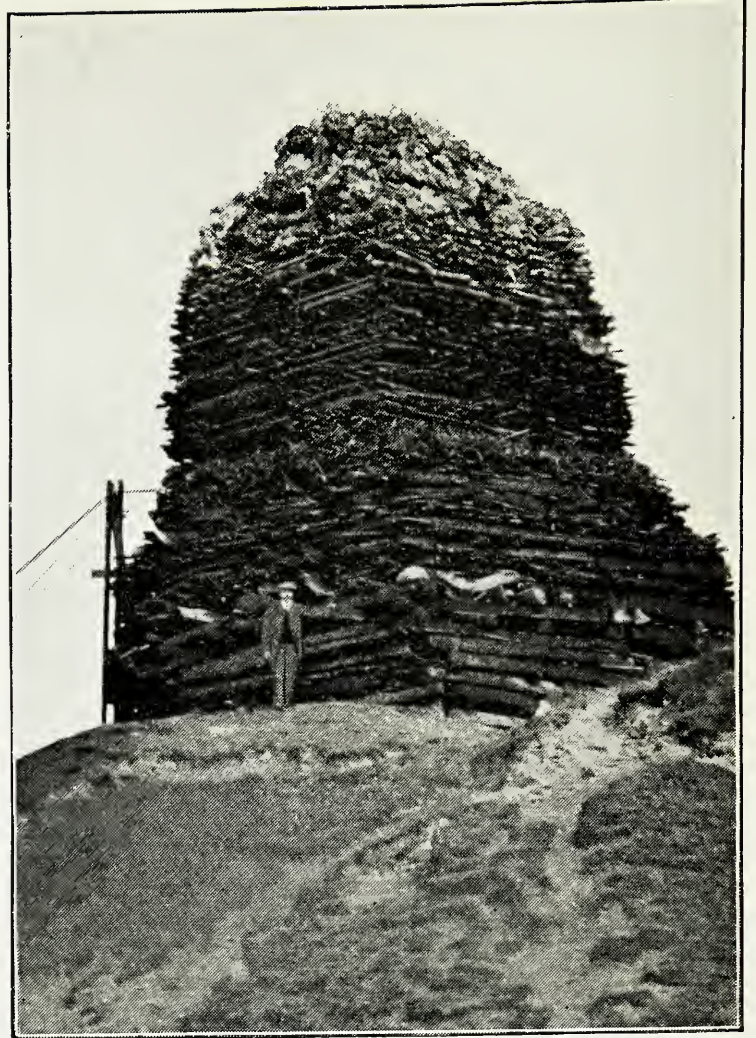
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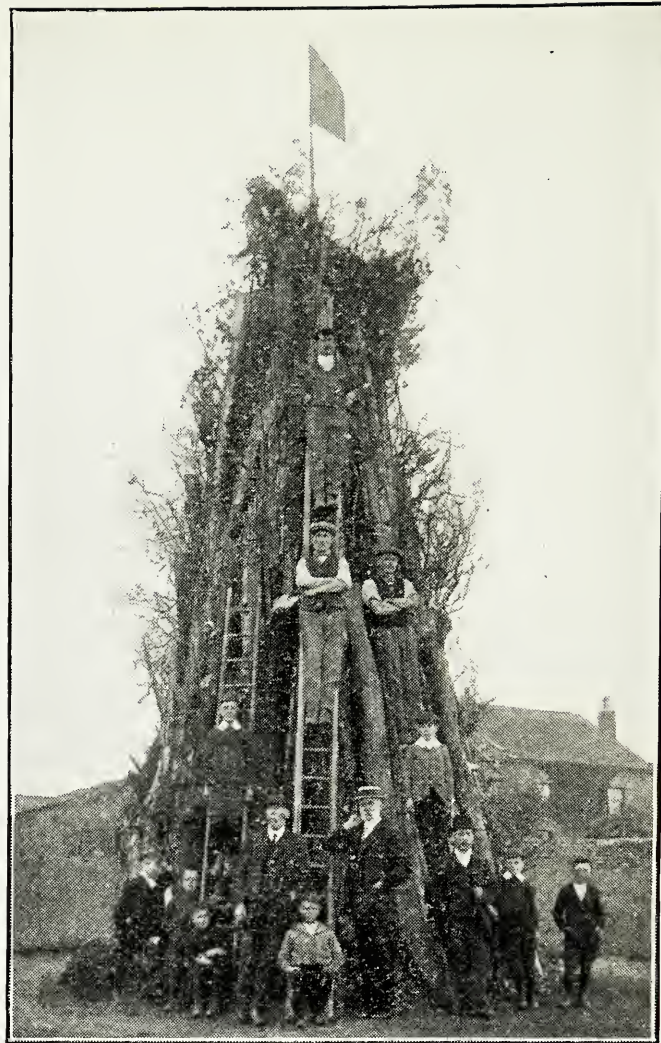
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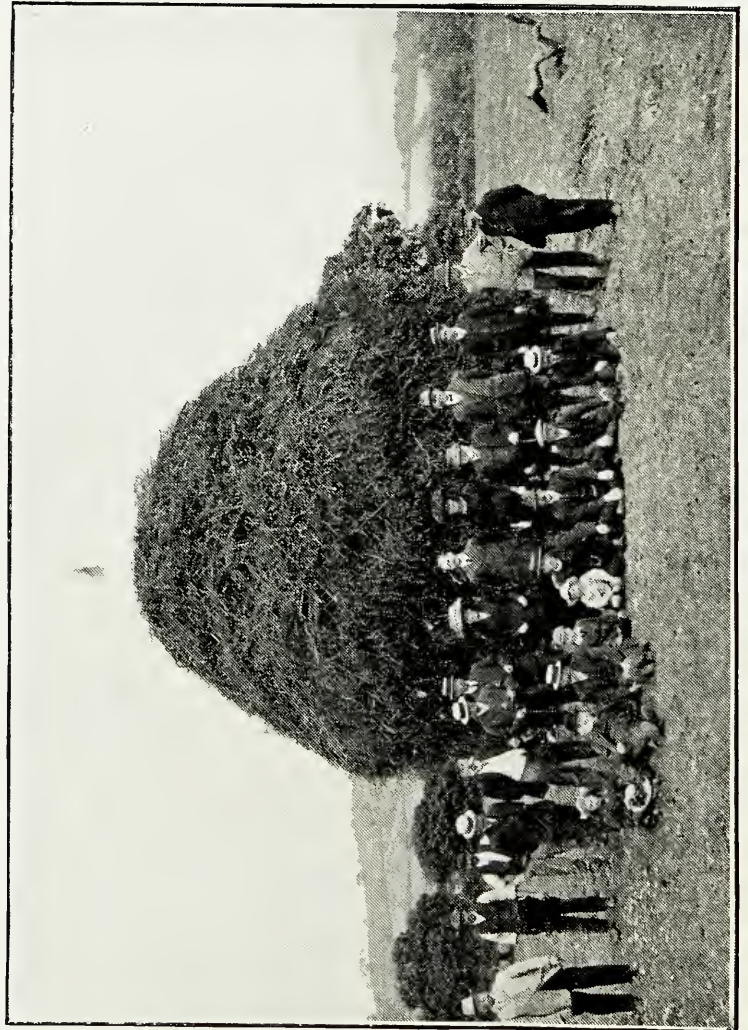
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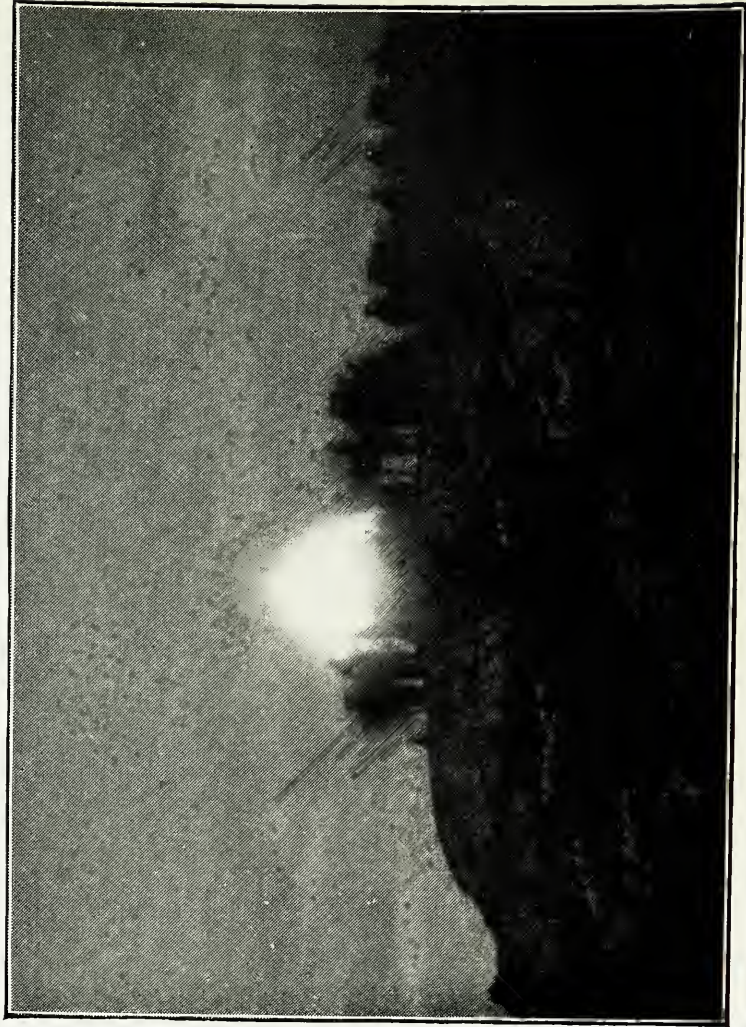
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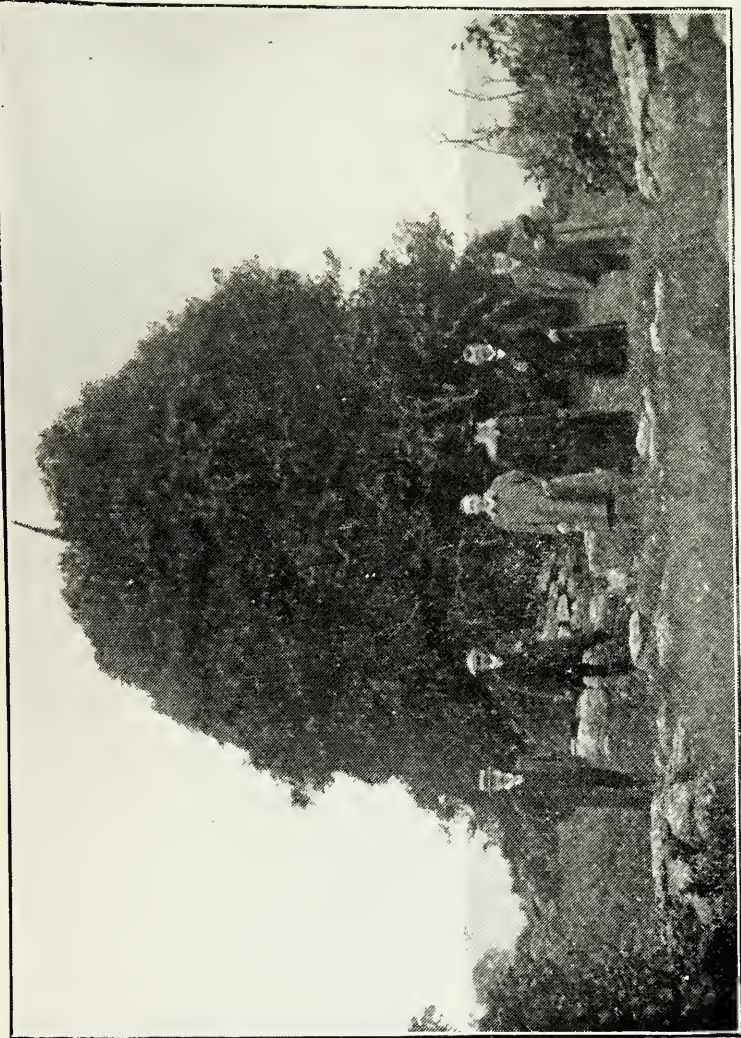
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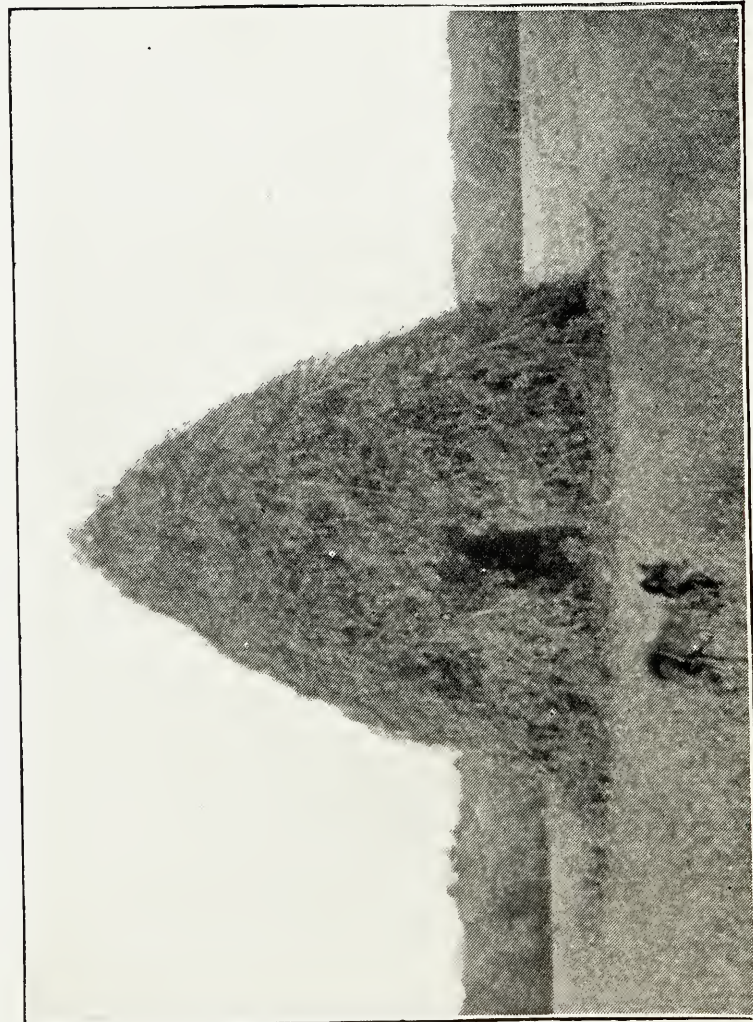
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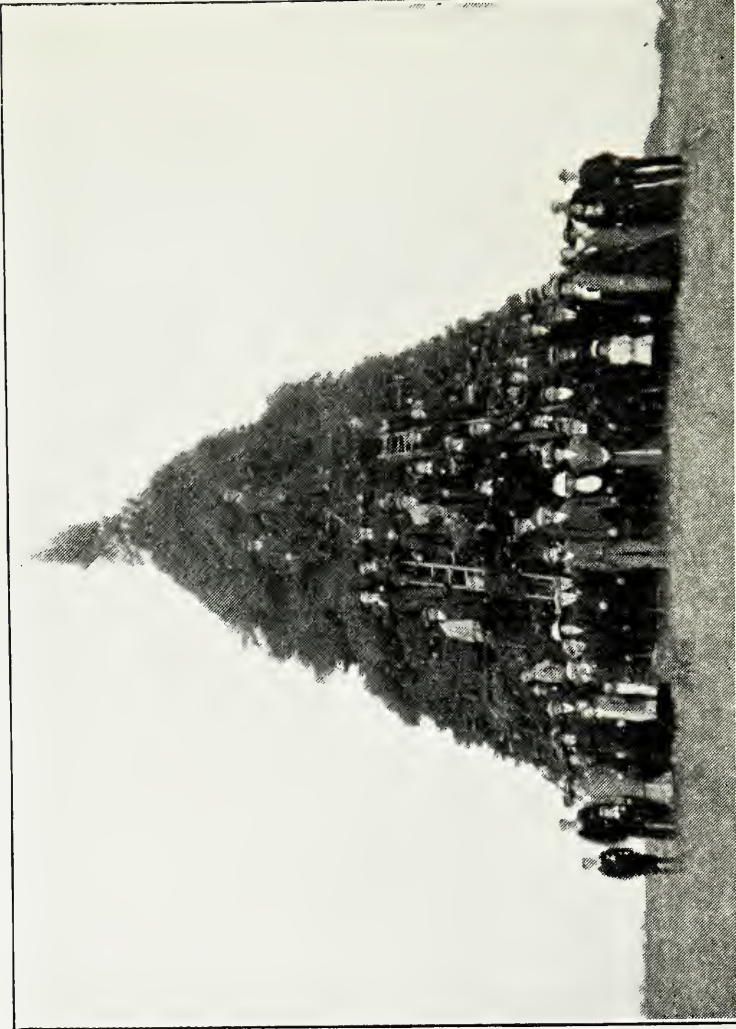
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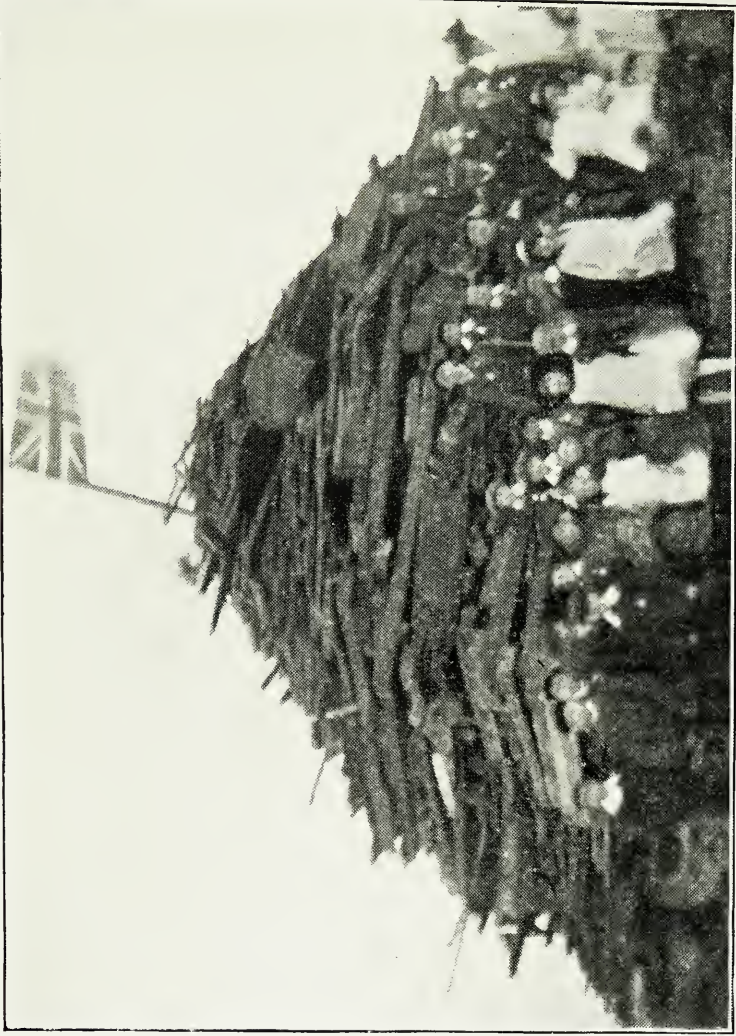
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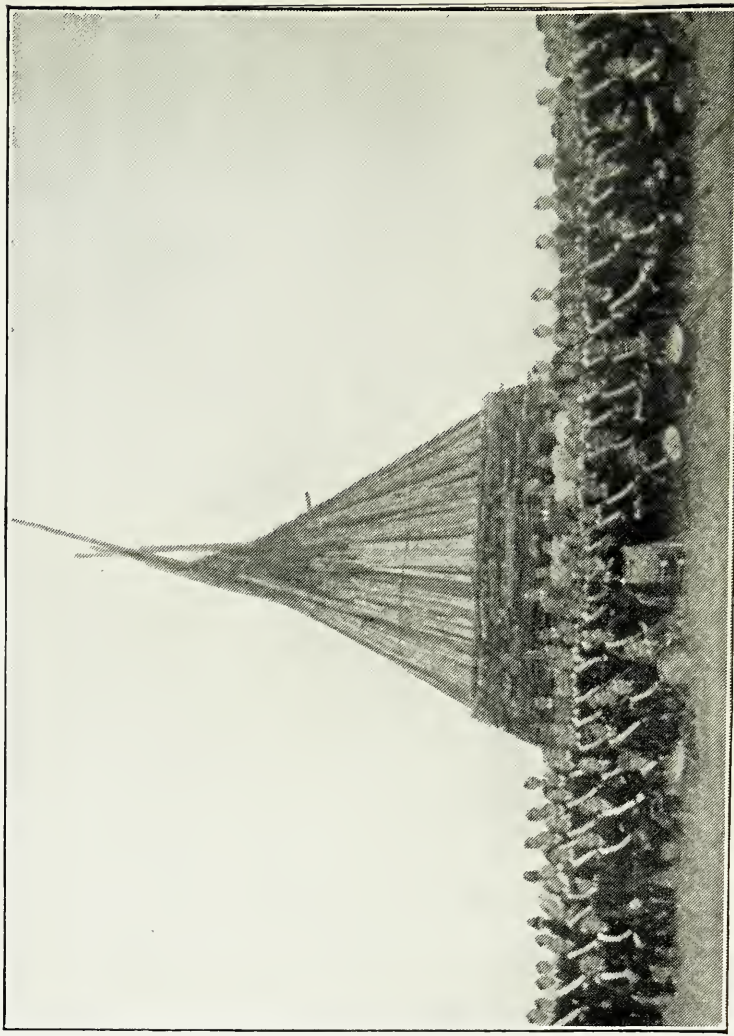
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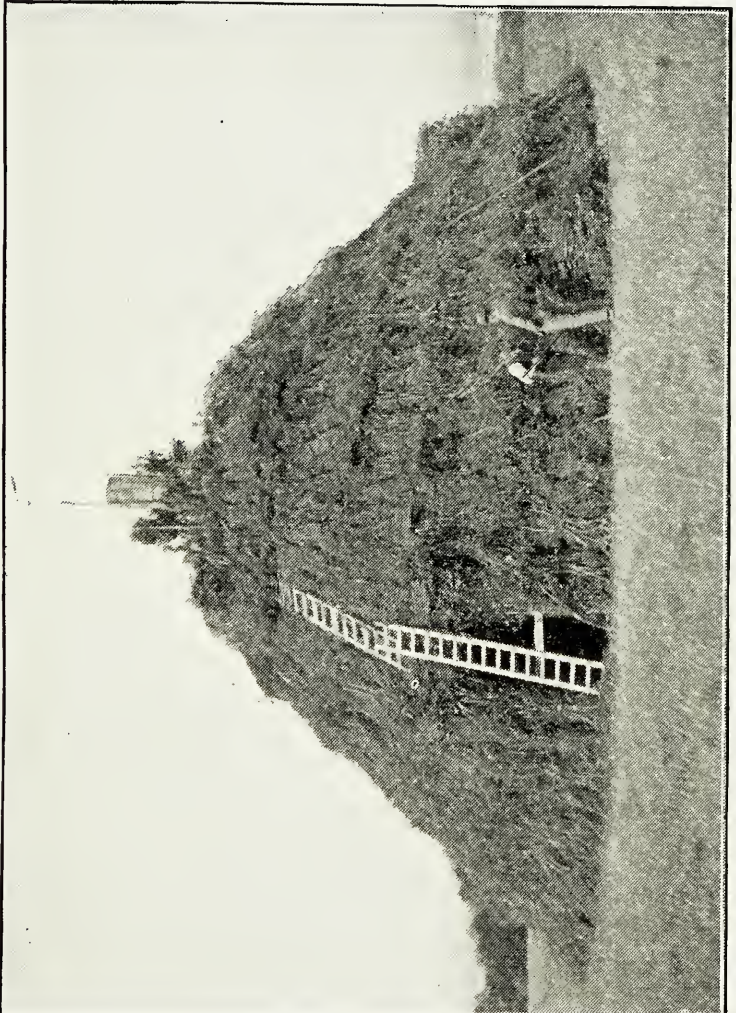
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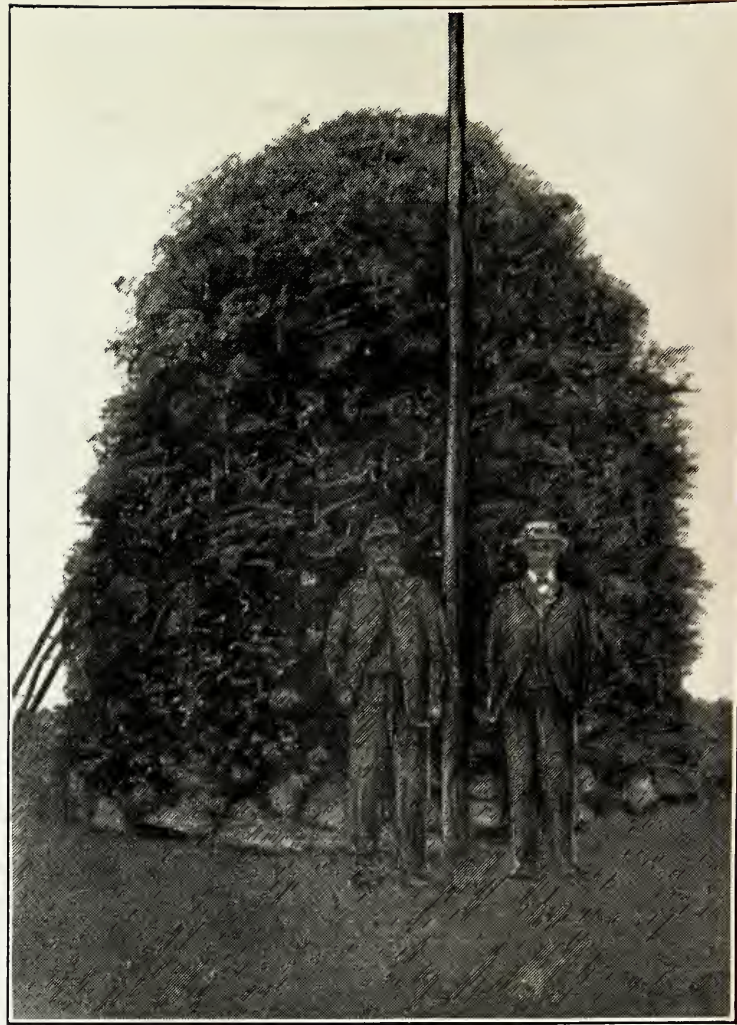
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